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# Adshead: 'I'd make 'Roos win'

Les Shorrock

New Zealand coach John Adshead vows that he would get Australia into the 1986 World Cup finals if he were given the chance.

And he says he could do the same for Canada.

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He won't consider jobs at club level but would love to coach the national team of Australia or Canada.

"I'd bet my next four years' wages that I could get either country into the 24 in 1886, because both have the potential, given the right approach," he told me.

There was a lot of trouble in the New Zealand camp, between Adshead and official Charlie Dempsey.

When I talked to Adshead he said that New Zealand's newly-offered contract was "too ridiculous to consider—even less, money-wise, than some P.S.L. coaches are getting!"

Adshead went on to say that

even less, money-wise, than some P.S.L. coaches are getting!"

Adshead went on to say that it wasn't just the money, though. The actual job structure was such that he wouldn't think of staying. Of course he's trailing his coat for another big job while he is still in the limelight.

Kiwi Steve Wooddin will come back to Hellas nest season only if he doesn't get a better job. A lot of doors have opened in N.Z. now, and I'm considering several offers in management,' he said.

Wooddin is well aware that Hellas could put him out of the game forever but doesn't seen to care much He was a revela-

game forever but doesn't seem to care much. He was a revela-tion in the Scotland game



slipping

As I sat in front of my television set almost every night since the World Cup kickoff, I couldn't escape the feeling of: "there but for the grace of Rudi and Arthur go we".

Naturally, I'm referring to be efforts of the minnows at Mundial.

Minnows, did I say? That could apply only to hapless El Salvador after the first round;



all the others have grown immeasurably in status.

Looking at the skilful and exciting efforts of, say, Algeria, and even the fright New Zealand gave the cocky Scots, we must draw a rather uncomfortable conclusion.

It simple is that we are not in the class of the Algerias, Kuwaits and Cameroons of this world any more.

Fooling ourselves that Aus-

mestic or international — is constantly improving, better than ever, or any other permutation of some basic plantitudes, serves no useful purpose.

The fact is that we have slipped behind not only the Europeans and South Americans but also the leading Arabs, Asians and Africans — and the gap is widening!

Stand by for the clash of the world's best players! Zico and Diego Maradona confront each other in Spain this week and the prize may be the World Cup itself.

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The winner of this Brazil v. Argentina clash virtually is assured of a place in the semi-finals and such is their strength that either of them probably will go on to win the final.

Zico and Maradona will play at opposing ends of the field, and Australian fans will watch the game live on the ABC. Although both are midfielders, nether picks up opponents. Rather, they spend their time making space in which to set up attacks and score goals.

Both also are brilliant at taking free kicks, and it may well be free kicks that decide this match.

Whether Brazil and Argentina clash tomerrow (Thursday) or Saturday depends on the result of yesterday's (Tuesday's) match between Italy and Argentina. It was too late to include the result in this week's issue.

In the 1974 World Cup final, all eyes were on Germany's Franz Beckenbauer and Holland's Johan Cruyff, who both were vying for the title of world No. 1 player. Beckenbauer won out that time, as Cruyff played deep and succumbed to the close marking of Berti Vogts.

Now we have Zico and Maradona. It remains to be seen whether they will be marked closely. It's more likely that Zico will have a marker—perhaps Gallego, as Brazil appears to have more confidence than Argentina to play an open game.

## Demands for Cup changes

Heidelberg-Alexander wants its Philips Cup metch against Preston Makedonia on July 14 postponed for at least a week, and APIA is deman-

July 14 postponed for at leasts week, and APIA is demending that Ita Cup match against Marconi be switched from Marconi Stadium to a neutral venue.

The argument of Heidelberg resident Sam Goulopoulos is that Heidelberg and Makedonia will have to clash twice in the same week, as they have a league match three days earlier, on the Sunday.

Goulopoulos says quite rightly that fans will not come to two matches between the two big rivals in one week, and that one of the gates will suffer.

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Either Heidelberg will lose

Either Heidelberg will lose takings on the Sunday or the league will lose money on the Wednesday, as all Cup takings are pooled.

Heidelberg similarly lost money is the league man the league match once the league match of the league match once the league match of th

# Godzik in, Kyri back, **Johnston missing**

Laurie Schwab

Brian Godzik is expected Brian Godzik is expected to make his debut for nake his debut for APIA on Sunday, Footscray J.U.S.T. will have Kyri Kyriakouleas and Vlatko Belic back, and Newcaste tackles Makedonia without Creig Johnston who scored a hattrick against Brisbane Lions last week.

Johnston, the Liverpool star, is to play once more match for Newcastle, at home against Wollongong on Sauray week.

day week.
Godzik, formerly of Celtic



Craig Johnston

and Brighton, arrived from Britain last Sunday and should play in attack for APIA against West Adelaide at Hin-dmarsh

against West Adelaide at Hindmarsh.
Victory is vital to both teams, as both were dumped out of the four by losses last weekend.



Kyri Kyriakouleas

West Adelaide however, will start favorite, as APIA's recent results have been ex-tremely disappointing, even though it should have led Sydney City by more than one goal before finally succumbing 41. Continued p. 9

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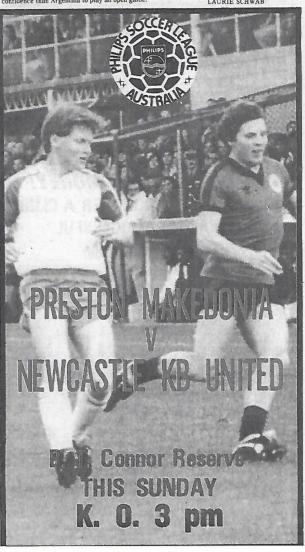
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A goal from Wattord striker Gerry Armstrong put Northern Irreland into the second final round at the expense of Yugoslavia. The last time the Irish were in a finals series they won their way into the quarter finals. That was in Sweden in 1958.

1958.
Their shock win over host
Spain in an incident packed
match was achieved with only
10 men after defender Mal Donaghy was sent off in the 61st
minute.

So the Irish, quoted at over 400/1 before this series kicked off are in with a chance of astounding the world and reaching the semi-finals.

# lgeria up in arms

WEST GERMASNY 1 (Hru besch 11th) AUSTRIA 0 in Gijon, Crowd: 40,000, Referee: Bob Valentine (Scotland).

sourant, Horst Hrubesch, Karl-Heinz Rummonige.
Substitutes: Elke Immel, Bernd
Forsten, Lother Mattheau, Kleus
Flacher, Uwe Reinders.
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Krausa, Bruno Pazzey, Erich Ober-mayer, Josef Degeorgi, Ronald
Hattanberger, Herbert Prohaska,
Reinhold Hintermalei, Heritermalei, Heritermalei,
Kranki.

Algeria called for the disqualification of West Germany and Austria from the World Cup, accusing them of coming to an arrangement to qualify for the second round.

the second round.

Alemi Sekkal, Algerian
Football Federation president,
whose side was eliminated on
goal difference after the
Germans beat Austria 14, said
rich the side of the side of

act".

"We addressed a complaint to FIFA officially denouncing the agreement between the two countries," he said.

However a hurriedly convened F.I.F.A. executive meeting dismissed the protest, leaving the Germans and Aust-



The West German squad, from top let to right: Harald Schumacher, Eike Immol, Bernhard Dietz, Hans-Peter Briegel, Karl-Heinz Foerster, Lothar Mattaeus. Middle row: Kurt Niedermayer, Felix Megath, Wilfried Hannes, Manfred Kaltz, Wolfgang Dremmlen, Pierro Littbarski. Bottom row: Hansi Mueller, Klaus Allefs, Horst Hrubesch, Karl-Haus rummenigge, Karl Allgoewer, Ronald Borchers. Not in picture: Paul Breitner and Uli

rians as the qualifiers from Group Two.
West German manager Jupp Derwall rejected charges that the result had been arranged, and the country's soccer federation president Hermann Neuberger commented: "The German team had the right to play slowly and safely."
Neuberger, who is also a FIFA vice-president, said there was no FIFA regulation which could cover sanctions

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for what happened in the match.

According to Derwall, Germany would have liked to continue playing as it did in the first 20 minutes and score more goals

first 20 minutes and score more goals.

"But both Rummenigge and Stilieke were not fully fit and we could not afford to run the risk of conceding a goal as that would have meant we were out of the competition.

"Austria, who couldn't

afford to give away three goals, slowed the game down."

Austrian manager Georg Schmidt said his team had played "safety first".

Austrian substitute Anton Puichler said: "The German goal came too early. It made the game too risky and we were frightened of losing heav-

ily."

After a header from Horst
Hrubesch in the 11th minute
gave West Germany the lead,
neither side made any discernable effort to alter the

The reaction of the fans was bitter. On the terraces white handkerchiefs were waved, cries of "fix" could be heard, and one West German burned his country's flag to the cheers of the crowd. When the Germans returned

When the Germans returned to their hotel an hour after the match, police formed a cordon to keep back an angry mob who booed and whistled as the players left their bus.

Soon after the German players had entered the hotel, water-filled plastic bags were dropped from an eighth floor window. The crowd retailated by throwing tomatoes at some of the lower windows.

# The second round

GROUP A
July 2, Soviet Union v
loser of Poland v Belgium.
July 5, Soviet Union v
winner of Poland v Belgium.
GROUP B
June 30, West Germany v

June 30, West Germany v England.
July 3, Spain v loser of West Germany v England.
July 6, Spain v winner of West Germany v England.
GROUP C
June 30, Argentina v Italy, July 3, Brazil v loser of Argentina v Italy.
July 6, Brazil v winner of Argentina v Italy.

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July 5, Northern Ireland v
winner of Austria v France.
SEMI-FINALS
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v winner of group C (Nou
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AEST), winner group B v
winners group D (Pizipan
stadium, Sevilla) kick off
1900 GMT (0500 AEST).
THIAD PLACE PLAY-OFF
July 11 (Rico Perez Stadium, Allacent) kick-off 1800
GMT (0400 AEST).
FINAL
July 12 (Bornabau Stadium, Madrid) kick-off 1800
GMT.
All Group B matches,
semi-finale, third-place playoff and final are live on ABC
TV.

### Pat superb NORTHERN IRFLAND 1 (Armstrong 47th) SPAIN 9 in Previous clashes Valencia. Crowd: 47,500. Ref-

ired against each other in the World Cup second round:
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Poland v Belgium: P3, W 3, goals 6:1.
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Poland v Belgium: P 9, W 3, D 3, L 2, goals 15:9. GROUP B England v West Gernany: P 14, W 8, D 2, L 4, goals 51:34. England v Spain: P 14, W 9, D 1, L 4, goals 31:17. West Germany v Spain: P 11, W 5, D 3, L 3, goals 15:12. GROUP C Argentina v Brazil: P 67, W 27, D 18, L 2, goals 118:96. Italy v Argentina: P 7, W 4, D 2, L 1, goals 13:5. Italy v Brazil: P 8, W 4, L 4, goals 13:13. GROUP D Austria v France: P 15, W 8, D 1, L 6, goals 34:27. Austria v France: P 15, W 8, D 1, L 6, goals 34:27. Austria v Northern Ireland: never met France v Northern Ireland: P 3, D 1, goals 9:3.

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The full Italian squad. Back row: Giuseppe Baresi, Guiseppe Bergoni, Alessandro Altobelli, Claudio Gentile, Ivano Bordon, Dino Zoff, Giovanni Galli, Francesco Graziani, Fulvio Collovati, Gaetano Scirea, Daniele Massaro. Seated: Giampiro Marini, Giancarlo Antognoni, Paolo Rossi, Gabriele Oriali, Bruno Conti, Marco Tardelli, Antonio Cabrini, Franco Causio, Guiseppe Dossena, Pietro Wierchwood.

# The final Irish preparations were clouded by a row be-tween reserve goalkeeper Jim Platt and manager Billy Bingpam. Platt, who has been limited to 15 international appearances in six years as Pat Jenings' understudy, considered he should have been given a group game here and said he would not play again in an Irish side managed by Bingham. Amid speculation that Platt might be sent home early, the Irish Football Association held a special hour-long meeting to discuss the matter at its hotel near Valencia.

Officials said afterwards Platt had retracted his com-ments but added nothing fur-ther to their statement.

The Irish hero against Spain was Armstrong, a big, bustling striker, who slammed home a shot from Billy Hamilton on the right flank after Spanish goalkeeper Luis Arconada had nalmed it out goalkeeper Lu palmed it out.

Just to make the occasion extra-special, the winner was the 100th goal of the tourna-

# Foster, Neal, Hoddle

ENGLAND 1 (Francis 27th) KUWAIT 0 in Bilbao. Crowd: 30,000. Referee: Gilberto Aristi Zabal (Colombia).

ENGLAND: Pater Shilton; Phil Neal, Stave Fostor, Phil Thompson, Mick Mills; Stave Coppel, Glenn Modile, Ray Willian, Graham Rix; Paul Mariner, Millian, Graham Rix; Paul Mariner, KUWAIT: Ahmad Tarabulai; Nasem Saad, Mabboul Mubarak, Waleed Al-Moutes, Abdulle Buloushi; Yusaf Al Suwayed, Saad Al-Mout, Abdulle Buloushi; Fasial Al Dahik, Fathi Kamil, Abdul Asiz Ahbart.

England, already qualified for the second phase, made three changes for its last Group Four game against Ku-

Steve Foster, Phil Neal and Glenn Hoddle replaced Kenny Sansom, Terry Butcher and Bryan Robson. Kuwait needed to win by five goals to squeeze France out of a place in the last 12. Its

lacked lustre.

In the 27th minute there was a long clearance to Paul Mariner, who flicked the ball behind him to Francis.

The Manchester City striker raced past a defender and cracked a shot low past the Kusiti keeper.

England, without stretching itself, dominated the first half. Hoddle sprayed passes to his strikers and Francis was a constant threat up front.

his strikers and Francis was a constant threat up front.

But Hoddle faded in the second half, and with him, England.

That allowed the Kuwaitis to set up some lowing attacks, which only once reached the England keeper.

Martier was booked in the 42nd minute, apparently for pushing Colombian referee Gilberto Aristi Zabal as he tried to get the ball.

Manager Ron Greenwood conceded that England had not won in style.

"We're not satisfied with the performance. We had so many chances from which we



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Silky Brazilian midfielder Socrates is foiled by New Zealand right back Glen Dods during Brazil's 4-1 victory last week in Seville.

### By PAUL MOON

It is the Brazilian captain's father who was responsible for his son's unusual name.

An avid reader of Greek literature, he christened the baby Socrates and thoughtfully added, in order to avoid confusion amongst future generations of historians, the title Brasileira ("Brazi-

actions of historians, the title Brasileira ("Brazilian").

The birth certificate proclaims him as Socrates Brasileira Sampaio de Sousa Ferreira Oliviera, assuming of course that there was sufficient room on the document!

Born in Belem, a town situated on the Amazon in Parana state, on February 19, 1954, Socrates moved with his family to Ribeirao Preto, near Sao Paulo when only four years old.

It was here that Socrates first took an interest in the game, toddling after improvised footballs in the form of oranges or rolled up socks.

Soccer was never his first love though and even today he states that it takes third place behind medicine and his family.

The pursuit of a medical career always has been the major priority in life and Socrates refused to sign professional forms until he had graduated from Ribeirao Preta University with a degree in medicine.

Prior to this time he played for the obscure.

uated from Ribeirao Preta University with a degree in medicine.

Prior to this time he played for the obscure, part time club Botafogo de Ribeirao Preto (not to be confused with the famous Botafogo of Rio), only training when his studies permitted.

Though able to give only a small amount of time to football and being attached to an unfashionable outiff, Socrates quickly gained attention this milligence, a campaign on his behalf conducted by Sao Paulo soccer journalists, the student was not included in the Brazillan squad for the 1978 World Cup finals.

It was shortly after the Mundial had been com-pleted that Socrates, now a qualified doctor, con-sidered himself ready to become a full time pro-

# Mr Magi

# SOCRATES

ites to obtain him, however it was Corinthians who made Botafogo the best offer. Corinthians are Brazil's most popular side, their legions of supporters being known as the Fiel ("Paithtul"). This loyalty is remarkable, particularly remembering that the club went 23 years without winning any major trophy. The drought had been broken the season before Socrates joined their ranks and he partook in a second successive Sao Paulo Championship success.

second successive Sao Paulo Championship success.

It was the newcomer whom made the winner for Palhinha in the Taca Cidade de Sao Paulo final, ironically against Santos!

Able to concentrate fully on soccer and now surrounded by players of quality, Socrates' career fourished and it was no surprise when he was called up for the Brazilian national side.

Brazil had finished third in the World Cup. For any other nation this would have been a creditable performance, however Brazilians regarded it as a shabby effort.

It was almost a year after the tournament that a national squad again assembled and the Corinthian was included in their number.

A 6-0 victory over Paraguay was followed by the 5-1 demolition of Uruguay. Socrates scored twice during the latter game and had a hand in the three other goals. He had "arrived" on the international scene— at least in South America. scene — at least in South America.

His fame spread to the old world during Brazil's

1981 tour of Europe, during which England, France and West Germany all were beaten. By this time he was leading his country. Already chosen as players' delegate when negotiating with officials of Brazil's federation, the tall, bearded midfielder cum deep lying centre forward first wore the captain's armband during Uruguay's Gold Cup competition.

After the European tour Socrates could boast 13 goals from 27 internationals and his "strike rate" today is still just under one goal per two games. 28 were netted for Corinthians last season in domestic soccer.

Yet he does not relish playing un front instead.

were netted for Corinthians last season in domestic soccer.

Yet he does not relish playing up front, instead
preferring to operate in midfield, utilising space
there, creating chances for colleagues and surging
forward through the centre.

Although always possessing a ferocious show
early in his career primarily for deft short passing
with instep, outside of foot and heel.

In fact Socrates has created and scored many
spectacular goals with backheels and in Brazil the
phase "Socrates' heel" is in common useage,
meaning the direct opposite of Achilles' heel.

A number of prominent European clubs, notably Napoli, bave tried to lure the Brazilian
across the Atlantic with promises of rich reward,
but he remains adamant that his future lies in Sao
Paulo.

Thankfully plans for an early retirement have

Socrates indicated on a number of occasions that he would retire after the current World Cup in order to devote himself to medicine.

Now however he is content to work in a free public clinic in his spare time; appropriately specialising in foot injuries, attend lectures and study medical journals.

# Sir Alf Ramsay

Sir Alf Ramsay who guided England to victory in the 1966 World Cup came out with an amazing attack on the current squad in Spain.

Sir Alf said: "England haven't got the blend, the world class players or even more important, they haven't got the guts or sense of purpose to win the World Cup".

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got the guts or sense of purpose to win the World Cup".

The England team was reported to be seething with resentment over Sir Alf's remarks but the F.A. said:

"We are not interested in entering a slanging match with an exmanager. We'll speak for ourselves on the fleid."

Paul Breitner, the West German star and only surviving member of the 1974 World Cup-winning side, recently became \$70,000 richer by having his eight-year-old beard shaved off Breitner collected the cash from a leading shaving ream manufacturer.

\* \* \*
Former Arsenal and Repubc of Ireland star Liam Brady
ho has been with Juventus



Sir Alf Ramsay

for the past season has been lined up to play for Sampo-dorla who is also interested in Spurs' Argentinian midfielder and current World Cup player

and current World Cup player
Ossie Ardiles.

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Diego Maradona's price tag
for his move to Barcelona has
varied from 86 million to \$10
million according to various
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John McGregor the central defender of Scottish amateur side Queens Park who turned pro with Liverpool in preference to another dozen offers from top English and Scottish clubs is reported to have got a \$80,000 signing fee in lieu of the fact that Queens Park couldn't receive a transfer fee.

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Brazil midfielder Dirceu who got a late call tho join Tele Santana's final squad had to squash plans to commentate on the World Cup for a Brazilian TV company.

Inn TV company \*
Eammon Bannon, the star brother of Pat. Vince and Ged, was the Scottish Premier League's penalty king last season with seven coverted spotkicks. Eammon scored a total of 12 goals for his side Dundee United.

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United. \* \* \*
Derek Spence who has a
string of international caps for
Northern Ireland and now
plays with Southend is crook at



Billy Bingham omitting him from his final 22 for Spain. Spence says he wouldn't watch Northern Ireland's progress on TV but instead will follow the fortunes of England.

Sunderland who narrowly missed relegation from the first division have given three transparence of the first division have given the first division have given the first division have given the former hold of the first division have given the former not form Bristol City 18 months ago and Ian Bowyer the former Nottingham Forest striker who was in Brian Clough's teams who won the European Cup in 1979 and 1980.

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Steve Murray the former Celtic and Aberdeen defender is the new manager of Scottish second division side Montrose.

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Bellini who was captain of Brazii's first World Cup success in 1958 carried his country's flag at the opening ceremony.

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Alan Boath, the New Zea-

Alan Boath, the New Zea-land World Cup player rubbed shoulders with a former Dundee United colleague, David Narey, when they played Scotland. Boath, who, plays in the PSL, didn't make

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it with the Scottish Premier League side, but Narey is an outstanding defender and United have in the past couple of years turned down several big six-figure fees for him. Manager of the several big six-figure fees for him. The several form of th

talents are compating witch-craft. \*\* \* \*

The Pope, once a soccer player, was asked whether he would watch the Italy-Poland game on TV and replied: "I think it will be better to hide



Yugoslavia's Edhem Sljivo fires toward goal as Hector Zelaya of Hondu

# **Petrovic penalty** downs Honduras

YUGOSLAVIA 1 (Petrovic penalty 87th) HONDURAS 0 in Zaragoza. Referee: Gaston Castro (Chile).

Yugoslav captain Vladirugostav captain Vladi-mir Petrovic calmly ended Honduras's hopes of stun-ning the soccer world by advancing to the second final round when the Red

Star Belgrade midfielder struck home an 87th minute penalty.

The night match ended on a note of high emotion as Hon-duras players trudged weeping

from the La Swand dium.

They had given a good account of themselves in their last Group Five match, but their world fell apart in the final three minutes when Jaime Villegas brought down Milos Sestic in the penalty area.

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Milos Sestic in the penalty area.

They implored Chilean referee Gaston Gastro not to award a penalty, but the decision stood and Petrovic struck the winner from the spot.

The Hondurans' disappointment was acute and, as the teams walked back to the centre circle for the kick-off, Gilberto Yearwood tripped Eddhem Sljivo and was ordered off.

Three minutes later, Castro's whistle ended the Hondurans' World Cup campaign. Some of the Central American players lay prone on the pitch weeping.

Honduras was within three minutes of a third successive draw, which could still have given it a chance of survival.

But the result meant the Group Five qualifiers for the second round was not decided until the concluding match be-tween hosts Spain and North-ern Ireland in Valencia last Saturday.

Yugoslavia had demonstra-ted some subtle skills and often had the edge in midfield. But Honduras produced anoth-er defensive performance of quality — until that dramatic ending.

### weather late Czech storm French

FRANCE 1 (Six 65th) CZECHOSLOVAKIA 1 (Panenka penalty 85th, in Val-ladolid. Crowd: 25,000.

Two spectacular clearances and the sending off of Czechoslovakla's Ladislav Vizek highlighted a cliff hanging linish to this 1-1 draw which put France through, along with Eng-land, into the second final round as the representatives of Group Four.

Czechoslavakia threw everything into a final assault, desperate for the goal that

would have put it and not France, on the brink of a place in the last 12. But the French defence held out despite two shaky moments when it scrambled the ball off its goal-line.

The tension became almost unbearable as the minutes ticked away and Vizek was sent off following a foul on Gerard Soler two minutes from the end.

Didier Six accepted the easiest of tasks to put the French ahead in the 65th min-ute, tapping the ball over the line after Bernard Lacombe had squeezed a shot past goalkeeper Karel Stromsik.

The goal gave the French the con-fidence to play some of their best soccer

of the trournament and they often looked like poing further ahead.
But it was Czechoslovakia which scored just five minutes from the end. Maxime Bossis pushed Vizek in the penalty area and Antonin Panenka slotted the ball höme from the spot.
Suddenly the Czechs were aware that all was not lost and the match exploded into fast end-to-end action.
The French goal came under siege as the Czechs tried everything they knew to edge in front.

the Czechs tried everything they knew to edge in front. Goalkeeper Jean-Luc Ettori just pushed out one shot and Manuel Amoros headed another off the line before the referee blew the final whistle to end the torture for the French fans.

Frantisek (centre, No 17) about to be challenged by French star Michel Platini (left) and Bernard Lacombe. At right is Czechoslovakia's Rostilav Vojacek.

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# Assad is up front so



Algerian goalkeeper Mehdi Cerbah watches in dismay as the ball flashes into the back of his net from the penalty by Chile's Migual

who needs

ALGERIA 3 (Assad 8th, 31st, Bensaoula 35th) CHILE 2 Neira penalty 61st. Letelier 74th) in Oviedo. Crowd: 18 500 Referee: Romulo Mendez (Guatemala).

ALGERIA: Mehdi Carbeh, Chaebane Merzekane, Mahmoud Guendouz, Journadine Kourichi, Salah Larbas, Faouzi Mansouri, Ali Fergani, Saleh Isasa, Azademagili Bourebbou, Tagi Benasoula, Asab Madjer. Subbitutes: Oscar Wirth, Ento Escobar, Mario Soto, Juan Carlos Leteller, Ab, Ojama' Tlemcani.

CHILE: Mario Osbon, Mario Galindo, Elias Figueroa, Rene Valenzuela, Idadinir Bigora, Roddiko Dubo, Eduardo Bonsalet, Miguel Nalen, Patriclo anac, Carlos Saczely, Gustave Moscoula.

Chile: Carbos Saczely, Gustave Moscoula.

Even without sensational striker Lakhdar Belloumi little Algeria shocked Chile by going into a three goal half time lead only to fade in the second half under a Chilean ascapit

Belloumi was a staggering on mission. He had inspired Al-geria to an amazing 2-1 win over West Germany a rew days earlier but wasn't even

selected on the substitutes' bench against Chile.

bench against Chile.

The Algerians, leading 3-0 at the interval would have been in touching distance of a place in the second round had they maintained their first-half pressure.

The victory was inspired by Salah Assad who scored the first two goals and was a constant menace to the Chilcan defence with his incisive speed and shooting power.

and snooting power.

He opened the scoring after eight minutes, ramming a left-foot drive into the right-hand corner of the net, and made it 2-0 in the 31st minute when he beat three defenders inside the box before beating Chilean goalkeeper Mario Osben.

Four minutes later, Tedj Bensaoula was again too fast for a pedestrian Chilean defence and hit a shot just inside the keeper's right-hand post.

But after the interval, Chile raised its effort, Algeria lost confidence and a 61st-minute penalty by Miguel Neira and a goal from substitute Juan Carlos Leterlier after 74 minutes meant there was only one goal in it at the end.



Algerian players jump for joy after Tedj Bensaoula (extreme right) scored against Chile in the first half to make it 3-0. Chile hit back but

### IT'S A FIJIAN 'FIX' -**22-0 and 44-0**

SUVA — Two soccer teams in Fiji "lixed" a match so that one of them won 22-0 to give it a better goal difference and a higher place on the competition table.

One of their angry opponents then went one better and arranged a second "lix" with another team — and won 44-0. The "Fiji Times" reported the strange affalr, which began when Nasole Two, one of the leading teams in the Nasinu Soccer Association's local competition, scored the 22-0 win over a team from the same club, Nasole One. The Rishikul School team then arranged to score the even bigger win over the Laucala Beach team, according to the Rishikul club secretary, Mahend Prasad.

He said the 22-0 win by Nasole Two over Nasole One was not the first time the Nasole club has "fixed" a match.

"In 1880 Nasole One was leading the points chart and Nasole Two gave the game away with a 11-1 loss," Prasad said.

Nasole Two Series and Series and Series and Series and Series and Nasole Two again gave the game away with a 16-1

Prasad said Laucala had lost the championship in both

Prassus and success.

"Laucala, because they were bitter over Nasole's dirty tricks, agreed to give away the game to us and thus we won by such a large goal margin," he said.

## Sorry, says the Sheikh

Kuwait will pay the fine of 25,000 Swiss Iranes imposed on it by F.I.F.A. following a stormy encounter with France and Sheikh Fahd Al-Ahmad Al-Sakhahas apologised for his part in the encounter and after match comments.

There were unruly scenes as referee Stupar annulled the goal, players scuffled and Sheikha Fahd went on to the pitch to talk to his team. Early in the stoppage, he appeared to be beckoning the Kuwalti players off the pitch but said later he was in fact urging them to resume playing.





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Hans Krankl (right) drives Austria's second goal past Algerian goalkeeper Cerbah. Algerians Guendouz (left) and Merkezane are too far away to stop Krankl.

56th, Krankl 67th) ALGERIA 0 at Ovieda. Referee Tony Boskovic (Australia).

AUSTRIA — Friedi Koncilia, Bernd Krausz, runo Pazzey, Erich Obermayer, Josef Degeorgi, oland Hattonborger, Horbert Prohaska, Rain-old Hintermeier, Ernst Baumeister, Walter Chechner, Hans Krankl. Substitutes: Klaus Lindenberger, Johan Pet-Chang, Harbort Waben, Germet Jurith, Kurl

Austria, playing Algeria for the

first time, took 56 minutes to open the scoring. When the ball rebounded off Algerian midfielder Lakhdar Bel-loumi, the ever-alert Walter Schach-ner was on hand to score.

ner was on hand to score.

And in the 68th minute, Hans Krankt took a pass from substitute midfielder. Kurt Welzl and smashed a left-footer past Algerian keeper Medhi Cerbah to complete the scoreline.

Algerian had been the more inventive team in the first half and looked again capable of belying its status as group outsiders. But it failed to maintain its rhythm in the second half.

Algeria had humbled proud West Germany a week earlier, and so fielded the same side against the Austrians.

Austrian manager Georg Schmidt made one change from the side that beat Chile,

bringing in Ernst Baumeister for Heribert Weber as midfield stand-in for the injured Kurt Jara. Algeria again was without midfielder Karim Maroc who injured an ankle in training, though his absence did not upset the balance of the team against West Germany.

unio usiance of the team against West Germany. Midfield inspiration Lakhdar Belloumi, African footballer of the year, said the win over West Germany was no surprise for the Algerians.

the Algerians.

"We played our game, imposed our rhythm and won entirely on merit. We could even have scored more goals," he

said.
Austrian striker Hans Krankl said: "We didn't make the mistake of over-estimating the Algerians, but I did not think they were capable of another feat of strength like the one against Germany."

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# Zico has his mates thank

Zico (right) is the star of the Brazilian team, some would say of the World Cup, but neither title finds favor with the man who was born Artur Antunes Coimbra.

The modest 29-year-old is quick to reject suggestions that he is a one-man team. "I am a team man," he says "and any personal success is due to my team mates. "I did not have a good World Cup in Argentina in 1978 but that was because the team did not play well — nor the other way round."

Although Brazilian manager Tele Santana does not shackle Zico with rigid tactics in matches, it is in training that the little wizard really shows his full repertoire of tricks.

Zico in training is a one-man circus, juggling the ball endlessly on his head, shoulders, chest, thighs and feet.

It is those skills which have brought him 67 caps and which earn him a reported \$25,000 dollars a month with World Club champions Flamengo.

By his own standards, Zico will supply the world of the says and the club champions Flamengo.

By the work standards, Zico will supply the work of the says and the club champions Flamengo.

But he was merely exceeded.

cellent
But he warmed to the task in
the 4-1 win over Scotland, netting one of his renowned
"banana" free kicks.
Scotland goalkeeper Alan
Rough must have nightmares
involving the magical Brazilian

lanvoiving the magical Brazilian Zico's extraordinary shot around the defensive wall from the left-hand side of the penalty area was an exact replica of the goal he swept past rough last time the two nations met in the Maracans Stadium five years ago.

If the Brazilians win the World Cup in Madrid on July 12, Zico, who wears the same no. 10 shirt which once identified Pele, can look forward to being crowned "King of Football".



# WAS IT A PENALT

ARGENTINA 2 (Passarella n. 22nd, Bertoni 53rd.) EL SALVADOR 0 at Alicante. Referee Luis Barrancos (Bolivia).

ARGENTINA — Ubaido Fillol, Jorge Olguir, Luis Galvan, Danide Passacella, Alberto Tarantini, Os-valdo Ardiles, Americo Gallego, Diego Maradona, Daniel Bertoni, Mario Kompes, Gabriel Calderon. Substitutos: Hector Balay, Ramon Dias, Patrico Haronache, Ramon Dias, Patrico Haronache,

The Argentine victory in the last Group Three match put paid to Hungary's hopes of making it to phase two. Hungary could have gone through on goal difference had Argentina lost.

In a match marred by fouls



without ever producing its usual brand of flowing foot-

usual brand of flowing foot-ball.

The tone of the match was set in the opening minute with Argentina surging forward and El Salvador massing players in defence.

Only the crossbar prevented Mario Kempes from putting the champions ahead after four minutes with a left-foot

drive.

But it was a hotly disputed penalty which broke the dead-lock in the 22nd minute after Gabriel Calderon fell inside the area

Despite loud and long pro-tests by the Salvadoreans, some of whom appeared to shove Bolivian referee Luis Barrancos, the official stuck

to his decision to award a penalty.

Two minutes had elapsed since the penalty had been given when Argentine captain Daniel Pasarella stepped forward to rifle home the spot kick

kick.
The champions, frustrated by the crunching tackles of El Salvador, had to wait until eight minutes into the second half to increase their lead through a solo effort by Daniel Bertoni.

El Salvador's players argued furiously over this penalty which put Argentina ahead. Passarella Daniel (left) is pictured planting it past goalkeeper Luis Guevara.



Zico flips backwards to score against the Kiwis. From left: Sumner, Herbert, Serginho (No. 9).

# Brazil will win it by a mile, says Adshead

Turner to write book By PAUL MOON

This has not been a happy season for Grant Turner.
First of all there was the debacle of his brief Melbourne sojourn, then he suffered severe concussion while playing for his
club, Gisborne City and the biggest blow of them all, he was ruled
out of New Zealand's World Cup games by injury.
Turner trapped his ankle in a small hole while playing for the
Klwis in their final warm-up game against Spanish Third Division
outfit Athletics Benamiel, severely tearing ligaments.
After examination it was realised that the ankle would be in
plaster for at least six weeks and therefore Turner, who otherwise would have been an automatic choice, was ruled out of the
matches against Scotland, Russis and Brazil.
Bitterly disappointed, he flew back home on the first available
plane.

plane.

Upon his return, the midfielder received good news for a change. An Auckland publishing company has offered him a considerable sum to write his autobiography.

Should the book be published the chapter on his PSL career will be of interest to Hellas fans; even if it comprises just two paragraphal.

BRAZIL 4 (Zico 29th. & 31st., Falcao 54th., Serginho 69th) NEW ZEALAND 0 at Seville. Referee Damir Matovinovic (Yugoslavia).

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hettum, Gibo Dodde, Ricky Her-bert, Adrian Elrick, Alan Boath,

Steve Summer, Keith MacKay,

Kenny Creaswell, Bobby Aimond,

Substitusers Richard Wilson,

Brien Turner, Duncan Cole, John

Hill, Gian Adams

"Brazil is going to win the World Cup, and win it by a mile," New Zealand coach John Adshead said after this result.

after this result.

"They are the best side in the World Cup and I believe that for us the result was a respectable one.

"They seem to play the game with so much ease. It will take a great team to close them down.

"Zico was at his best tonight in the way he takes goals. And the runs from behind by Junior and Socrates were very difficult to deal with.
"But you've got to remem-

"But you've got to remem-ber our players are only ama-

ber our players are only anne-teurs."

Adshead said: "I think group-six is the only group where all the teams have played to their true potential.

"And I think the gap be-tween New Zealand and the rest of the world is not as great as we think back home.
"The reason for this is that we never get the chance to

play the top teams when we tour. I think we now have firmly lodged football as the number-two sport in our country behind rugby. Only time will tell where it will go from there.\*

Brazil's football supremo Tele Santana said: "We did not think we would end the group with six points — especially after going 0-1 behind to the Soviet Union in the first game.

game.
"We played well tonight but
we were already through to
the second-round so why
should be take any risks?"

"I think New Zealand at times played well tonight. They were certainly better than they were against Scotland.
"I think our game with Argentina in the next round will be a classic because of or South American rivalry.
But Seville, home of the flamenco, witnessed a World Cupballet as Brazil danced rings round a mesmerized New Zealand to win this closing Group Six match.
Everything the inimitable

Everything the inimitable Brazilians did had a touch of invention, artistry and ele-gance about it and the poor New Zealanders looked as out

The peerless Zico gave Brazil a 2-0 half-time lead with goals in the 29th and 31s goals in the 29th and 31s goals in the 29th and 31s goals in the 29th and 29th minutes.

But the Brazilians could have doubled the scoreline. Quite simply, they were playing a different game to New Zealand and it will take a very special troupe to deprive them of their fourth World Cup.

Zico's opener never will be forgotten by the 49,000 fortunate fans in the Benito Villamarin Stadium.

Fullback Leandro surged

Fullback Leandro surged down the right and sent an out-swinging cross into the area.

Swinging cross into the area.

Zico, standing eight metres
out, launched himself into
mid-air and from a horizontal
position he smashed a lightning shot past the astounded
Frank van Hattum. It was one
of the best goals of this or any
other World Cup.

Zico's second was merely very good by comparison: a crisp effort from ten metres after another good run and pass from Leandro.

Italian exile Falcao made and scored the third. The Roma midfielder started another electrilying move on the halfway line, exchanged passes with Socrates and ran in on goal to tuck the ball neatly under the advancing van Hattum.

Zico was content to orches-trate the fourth with a deligh-ful run into the box and a per-fect cut-back which Serginho swept into the next from close range.



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Belgian captain Eric Gerets on a stretcher, on his way to hospital after being concussed in the game against Hungary.

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76th) HUNGARY 1 (Varga 27th.) at Elche.

27th.) at Eiche.

Belgium's captain Eric Gerets
was injured in this match and may
miss the second round.

Needing a win to be certain of qualifying, Bungary fielded an attacking lineup and went shead after 27 minutes

Belgium finally clawed back the equaliser in the 76th minute with a goal by Alex
Czerniatynski which was set up by a

by Jan Ceulemans.

The early pattern was predictable, with Belgium playing to its requirement of needing a draw to clinch a place in the second phase. It defended solidly while the Hungarians pressed forward, probing for a goal.

When it came, it was left back Varga who upstaged his forwards, picking up a bad clearance and then breaking through the Belgian defence before lashing a shot past Jean-Marie Pfaff.

A goal behind, the Belgians abandoned their cautious approach and went feve-

The outcome would have been different had the Hungarians finished their moves as brilliantly as they fashioned them. Golden chances went begging when Lazilo Kiss headed over after 25 minutes and Tibor Nyliasi missed with another header ID minutes into the second half.





His team had been eliminated even though it hadn't lost a ager Jean Vincent (left) had the good grace to congratulate Enzot Bearzet on Italy's advancement after the

Italy's Gabriele Oriali (left) puts in a stretching tackle on Cameroun's Ibrahim Aoudo.

# Italy gets through

ITALY 1 (Graziani 60th) CAMEROUN 1 (M'Bida 61st) at Vigo, Referee Bogdan Dotschev (Bulgaria).

ITALY — Dino Zoff, Antonio Cabrini, Fulvio Coliovati, Claudio Gantillo, Gaetano Scirae, Giancario Antognoi, Bruno Conti, Francesco Gazieni, Paolo Rossi, Marco Tardelli, Gabriele Oriali.
Substitutes: Ghiseppe Bergem, Ivano Bordon, Franco Causio, Alessandro Altoballi, Ghiseppe Dossa-

ns.
CAMEROON - Thomas N'Kono, Michel Reham,
Elie Onana, Rene Nidjeya, Ephrem M'Born, İbrahim
Acudou, Theophile Asega, Ermanuel Kunde, Gregoire M'Bide, Roger Mile, Jaan-Pierre Tokoto.
Sabstituss: Jacous N'Gues, Joseph Antoine Bell,
Cherles Toube, Francois Doumbe Lea, Albai Eyobo.

Charles Toubs, Francois Doumbe Los, Alein Eyobo.

Italy advanced from group one despite
the fact that it had not won a match in
the finals and scored only two goals.
Cameroon was pipped for place on goal
difference.

difference.

Italy made one change against Cameroon bringing in Gabriele Oriali in place of the injured Glampiero Marini.
Cameroon also made one change, fielding Jean-Pierre Tokoto instead of Jacques Nguea in a game it had to win to reach the second round. Italy needed only a draw.

Cameroon seldom threatened a tight quick-tackling Italian defence.

The Africans — playing in the World Cup finals for the first time — were far from dis-graced however. They played it tight in mid-field and up front.

They also had the satisfaction of scoring their first finals goal. It came in the 61st minute through Gregoire M'Bida.

minute through Gregoire M'Bida.

It was all the more satisfying because it came just 60 seconds after striker Francesco Graziani had headed the Italians into the lead.

Goakeeper Thomas N'Kono was given no chance with Graziani's effort, but up until then he had proved more than equal to the challenge on the few occasions the Italians broke through.

Italy looked sluggish in midfield and attack for most of the match. It had no drive, no pace, and no ideas to threatern the tall, sturdy Cameroon defence.

The match provided little entertainment for the crowd of 31,000.



Poland's Andrzei Buncol, chased by Jose Velasquez, cops a boot to the knee.

# **SMOLAREK**

POLAND 5 (Smolarek 55th., Lato 59th., Boniek 61st., Buncol 67th., Ciolek 77th) PERU 1 (La Rosa 82nd) at La Coruna.

Poland, having gone nearly four hours of soccer without scoring, suddenly found the magic touch to score five goals in 21 minutes to qualify for phase two.

Poland exploded to score three tmes in six minutes and went on to crush the Per-uvians.

The Poles completely domi-

nated the goalless first half—hitting the goal-frame twice—and rocked the South Americans from the 55th minute.
Smolarek got the first, then veteran Lato followed by Boniek, Buncoi and substitue Ciolek.

La Rosa scored the Per-uvians' consolation goal in the 82nd minute.

Poland, plays the second round in Barcelona.



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## the way Cameroon can show us

The new format of 24 teams now competing for the World Cup already has been successful as we have been treated to some superb football not only from established soccer nations but also from the so called developing nations.

developing nations.

Before the finals commenced we waited with baited breath to witness the magic of Maradons, Rumminegge, Zico, Krankl, Toroczic, Keegan, Platini, etc.

We have not been disappointed by most of those named but new names are appearing on our star list. Players like Milla (Cameroon), Madjer (Algeria), Gonzalez (El Salvador), Robson (England), Eder (Brazil), Gerets (Belgium)

are becoming household

are becoming household names already.

It is of great interest and excitement to me to note the names of players from the developing nations who are joining the star studded list. As a developing nation courselves, the performances of the countries less known at the World Cup finals, will be of considerable interest to

Up to now the perform-ances of those countries



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should prove an incentive to Australia as we witness the obvious narrowing of the gap between the top nations and the underdogs.

The top nations of world soccer, like Brazil, Argentina, West Germany, etc, have to really improved greatly by their own standards. However, countries like Cameroon, Kuwait, Hondu-

ras, etc, have made rapid strides to get closer to their more illustrious opponents. Evidence of this can be seen in the quality of soccerplayed in the World Cup by these emerging powers.

these emerging powers.

I read somewhere recently that it cost New Zealand \$1.7 million to reach Spain and the conclusion drawn was that it was an expensive exercise in chest thumping. I assume this conclusion was made considering New Zealand's results in Spain. However, the overall effect of New Zealand qualifying and the interest caused in

and the interest caused in their country must do wonders for the development of soccer there and also for sport in general.

From our point of view here in Australia much has been said and done about our own development. In my opinion we too have advanced a long way in this area. I really believe this, despite many articles to the contrary which appear regularly, particularly in our own soccer press. I feel strongly about this, as I become increasingly frustrated by our soccer writers continually telling us what is wrong with

our game and printing cliches like: "We need better coaches." My frustrations creep in because never in those same articles do these prophets of doom make constructive suggestions to cure the ills they continually tell us we suffer from.

There are many of those same scribes in Spain at the moment and it will be interesting to see if they return with constructive suggestions to help us on our way to further development. Sure, there are problems in our organisation but those of us within the game are sometimes too critical of our own set up.

Other sports in Australia

own set up.

Other sports in Australia are more positive about the rapid progress of soccer here but I guess everything is relative. They compare our growth with the past and re convinced the sport is flourishing. We on the other hand, with our ethnic backgrounds, continually make comparisons with the game "back home".

It is soud to use our ex-

It is good to use our ex-periences from 'back home' but we must organise and develop the game to suit our own conditions. Ours is a cosmopolitan group of people and we face problems

which are sometimes hard to define let alone solve.

Many times in the past we have sent people to study the way of West Germany, Eng-land, etc, to bring back way of West Germany, Eng-land, etc., to bring back knowledge to help us on our way. Perhaps now is the time for us to study the pro-gress of Cameroon, Algeria or Kuwalt and get ideas from people who have made giant strides in soccer devel-opment, certainly at nation-al team level.

al team level.

Sure, Kuwait appears to
have finance in abundance
but even that is of no use if
talent is not developed prop-

I know it helps to have

I know it helps to have money but we haven't, so let us not keep using our "lack of finance" as a crutch. Let us study these developing soccer nations and pick out positive factors which can be adapted to our conditions.

Take heart Australia from the excellent performances of the lesser soccer nations in Spain and let us all pull together now to ensure that we too can enjoy even more the euphoria of the next World Cup.

too can enjoy even more the euphoria of the next World Cup.

Let us enjoy it because Australia is there and not have to cling to the hope that the "old country" does well.

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Daniel Control

### **Sir Stanley Rous** praises Boskovic

Performances by referees from countries not known for their soccer prowess have become another surprise of the 1982 World Cup.

the 1982 World Cup.

While several European referees have received massive booings by fans unhappy with their performances, those from Asia, North America, and Africa have not done so badly. Australian Tony Boskovic has met some criticism.

The Sydney-based Boskovic, 48, a sports store proprietor when not wearing black shorts and shirt in the soccer field, was in charge of the Austria-Algeria match at Oviedo, won 2-0 by Austria. The Madrid 'Dally Pueblo' sald that Boskovic 'Ignored a clear penalty when Krankl was fouled inside the box. Did not use the advantage rule and made many mistakes'. In short, bad.

The Andusian daily 'Diario 16' said: 'Boskovic's most serious mistake was not to award a penalty to Austria in the IRM.

### From STEPHEN DETTRE in Seville

minute when Krankl was fouled. He applied the advantage rule well."

But when taken against the performances of other referees so far in the World Cup, Boskovic should not feel too depressed.

In the opening match of group six, between Brazil and the Soviet Union, the Spanish referee, Augusto Lamo Castillo, caused one of the biggest rows yet.

Three times during the match everyone in the stadium — except Castillo — saw incidents that should have been penalties. Twice the Soviets were denied and once the Brazilians suffered the same fate.

The Soyainsh fans agreed with the Soviets and during the match gave Castillo with bird", Spanish style, with a massive show of white handkerchiefs.

Boskovic is widely regarded as one of

widely regarded as one of

Australia's willest referees and drew upon all his experience to make vital decisions about whether to let the advantage rules apply or pull up play for free kicks.

apply or pull up play for free kicks.

The Algerian and Austrian defences both used the so-called professional foul to an alarming extent, but Boskovic managed to negate that tactic wherever possible by allowing the attacking side to the solution of the

As for Boskovic himself, Spain will be his swansong, as he already has an-nounced his intention of retiring at the end



Tony Boskovic

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# **Referee Stupar** steals the show

FRANCE 4 (Genghini 30th, Platini 42nd, Six 47th, Bossis 90th) KUWAIT 1 (Al Ba-loushi 74th) in Valladolid. Referee: Miroslav Stupar (USSR).

FRANCE — Jaan-Luc Ettori, Manuel Amoros, Gerard Janvion, Marius Trassor, Maxime Board, Alain Girasse, Michael Platini, Bernard Lecombe, Didier Six. Substitutes: Jean Castaneda, Christian Lopac Rane Girard, Burnel Bellom, Alain Couriol. — Transluti, Nesom Saeed, Mariuhi Mayood, Mahoboud Murbank, Walesaf Al-Mubarak, Abdulla Al-Buloushi, Jasem Sultan, Abdul-Asia Al-Anari.

anan. ubstitutes: Jamal Al-Qabendl, hi Marzouo, Kamel, Yousef Al-vayed, Fletch, Adam Ahmad.

Kuwait went into this match expecting to lose, because of the eastern bloc officials in charge, claimed Prince Fahd Al-Ahmad Al-Sabah, the pres-ident of the Kuwait Soccer Assocation.

Assocation.

The Prince said that some FIFA officials "were worse than the Malia", and charged that one of them had should at him "like Hiller" "They (FIFA) want to keep the big teams in the second round, he said. "When our boys came to the match and saw there was a Soviet referee and Yugoslav

linesmen, they knew they are losing. Why do they appoint a referee and liensmen from eastern Europe against us?

The Prince said the first French goal followed a free kick which was given against Kuwait after a perfectly clean tackle, and the third goal was clearly offside.

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tackle, and the third goal was clearly offside.

"I am not saying that the French victory was not deserved, on the contrary, it was well deserved." But the Prince added the Kuwaiti players had been unnerved.

He and several others from the Kuwait team wanted to go to the French dressing room after the match to offer congratulations and to wish the French players good luck, but were blocked by a FIFA official who shouted at them "like Hitler". He did not know the official's name.

The Prince insisted all he had been saying reflected the views of his players.

The Prince spoke just before it was announced in Madrid that FIFA had fined the Kuwaiti Football Federation 25, 000 swiss francs (\$12,500) because of a ruckus in this 4-1 less.

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French captain Michel Platini (left) watches as Soviet referee Miroslav tosses a coin before the start of the explosive France v. Kuwait game.

He scored a fine 43rd minute goal to give his side a 2-0 half-time lead and set the scene for Didier Six's goal in the 48th minute.

minute.

Abdulla Buloushi pulled back the score to 3-1 in the 74th minute, and shortly after that the trouble started. For eight minutes there was no play and complete confusion with players and officials milling on the pitch following a disputed French fourth goal.

had been given a caution for his "unsporting behavior". FIFA added that It would investigate unspecified statements made by the Prince and that it had suspended the match referee. Miroslav Stupar of the Soviet Union, and had warned the management of the Valladolid Stadium about the "lack of law and order".

der."
It was a lack of discipline
and organisation in the Kuwaiti defence though which
was behind this loss.
France played with great attacking flair and thoroughly
deserved its victory.
Bernard Genghini put
France ahead in the 31st minute, then Platini took control.

Kwaiti players protested vigorously, saying later they had been confused by whistles being blown by spectators which sounded like that of the referee. During the melee that fol-lowed, referee Stupar annulled the goal he had awarded minutes earlier, the teams en-gaged in sculfles. Prince Fahd went on to the pitch to talk to the Kuwaiti players and French manager Hidalgo was forcibly barred from the field by Spanish police.



Kuwait's defensive wall breaks as French midfielder Bernard Genghini (extreme left) scores France's first goal with a brilliant free kick. France won 4-1.

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Russia's Ukranian gazelle, striker Oleg Blokhin (right), takes a dive in vain inside the Scottish area as Willie Miller closes him

# Navaniato



Soviets celebrate. Sweeper Alexander Chivadze is hidden by jubilant team mates after scoring his country's first goal in its 2-2 draw with

### From DUNCAN FRASER IN MALAGA

USSR 2 (Chivadze 60th, Shengella 85th) SCOTLAND 2 (Jordan 15th, Souness 88th) in Malaga. Referee: Nicolal Rainea (Romania).

Until Scotland's skill level and organisation matches the best of South America and Europe, losing a mere two games during the past three World Cup finals will be its sole claim to fame.

It's a sad fact of Scottish international football life that the national team's skill level lisn't quite as high as the confidence of its cocky, unrealistic fans who think all too often that their beloved blue shirted wonders merely have to step out onto the pitch of win.

national team's skill level isn't quite as high as the confidence of its cocky, unrealistic fans who think all too often that their beloved blue shirted wonders merely have to step out onto the pitch of win.

Not all Scots fans are like that though. Just the majority.
As a Scot it's not easy for me to swallow the reality of our international football situation. But facts are fact.
Joe Jordan is big and good in the air. On the ground, and that's where the best in the world play their stuff, Jordan is sadly lacking at this level.

When Jock Stein was appointed as national team boss most Scots rejoiced. I was one.

What has become evident from another wasted experience in a World Cup finals series is that Stein's dislike of the peculiar talents of Liverpool's Kenny Dalglish cost Scotland dearly. Dalglish, our most capped player in Spain, has proven his scoring ability at world class club level. Unfortunately the same can't be said for the other strikers. Tragically Stein preferred them to Dalglish.

It was heralded world wide as a brave effort, this draw with the Soviets. It was. Bravery alone isn't what progressing to the second phase of this competition is about.

Jordan capitalised on a terrible, uncustomary mistake by the said the Scottish flags were flying proudly.

Those flags were at half mast however in the 60th minute. Chivadze redressed the imbalance with a deflected shot after a series of halt-raising escapes for the Scots in their goalmouth.

Two goals in the last five minutes produced an all-action finale in which Ramaz Shengelia shot the Societs ahead in the 85th minute, only for capatian Graeme Souness to haul Scotland level two minutes from the end.

But try as it might, Scotland could not grab that elusive third goal which would have deprived the Soviet Union of a place in the second phase.

The Scots felt they should have had the match won in the 77th minute when John Wark appeared to be pushed by Anatoly Rainaewko in the pond. Scotland level in the lock of the pond of the curious appointment of

# George Best, McIlroy, now Whiteside

Having gone into the cord books as the youngest player to appear in a World Cup finals, Norman White-side must feel that all sacrifices made over the past two seasons have been worthwhile.

been worthwhile.
Discovered by the legendary Bob Bishop, who also put George Best and Sammy McIlroy on the road to fame, Whiteside signed non-contract forms with Manchester United when just 15 years old.

United when just 15 years old. For almost the whole of the 1860-81 season, the youth would travel from his Belfast home on Friday night in order to play for United's youth team the following day, returning to Ulster that same afternoon. This commuting across the Irish Sea may have been fatiguing, but obviously benefited the young Irishman who came on in leaps and bounds during that campaign.

and bounds during that campaign.
Starring in the youth teams of both Northern Ireland and United, Whiteside helped the latter reach the 1982 FA Youth Cup final, where they were defeated by a Watford team in which Jimmy Gilligan who made his senior debut against Victoria, excelled.

After signing an apprenice professional contract and settling in Manchester almost a year ago, the young Irishman had to be content with reserve team footbalf or most of the recently completed season.

pleted season. Away from home, friends



Northern Ireland's teenage striker Normar Whiteside (right) gets in a header despite the challenge of Honduras' right back Cesar Gutierrez.

and family, Whiteside often must have wondered if his career would be better served back home in the Irish League or with the first team of a lesser English club than United.

Despite consistently brilliant performances in the Central League, he was denied the opportunity to display his skills to a greater audience until Ron Akkinson surprisingly called him up for the senior squad which travelled to Brighton on April 24.

Here he came on as substi-tute and contributed much to a 1-0 win.

His display that afternoon convinced Irish manager Billy Bingham that the in-experienced teenager was worthy of a gamble.

In Zaragoza, he fully just-ified Bingham's faith and ob-viously we will be hearing a lot more about Norman Whiteside in the next few

- PAUL MOON

# Scots, English fight in pubs

English and Scottish fans clashed in running fights in the Spanish resort of Lloret De Mar within minutes of Scotland's exit from the World Cup.

Worst outbreaks were at two large disco-pubs, the Moby Dick and the 'Rob Roy', both popular with the Scots.

Both discos were "a shamb-les" within minutes according to a member of the staff of the "Moby Dick". Chairs, tables and glasses were thrown about and the bars wrecked.

"Some of the English had apparently had one or two too many and caused the rumpus. We got them quietened down eventually," he said.

it was not so much the damage they caused but the nuisance. It does the place no good and gets a bad name for England."

Both bars are in the to centre and skirmishes wen

centre and skirmishes went on into the early hours. Frightened holldaymakers stayed in their hotels to avoid flying bottles and bricks. It is understood a number of people were arrested and a few received treatment for in-juries, mainly from flying glass.

NORTHERN IRELAND 1 (Armstrong 9th) HONDURAS 1 (Lainn 60th), at Zarannza. Crowd: 15,000. Referee: Tam Sun-chan (Hong Kong).

NORTHERN IRELAND — Pat Jennings, Jimmy Nicholi, Mal Do-naghy, Dave McCreery, Chris Nich-oli, John McClelland, Martin O'-Neill, Gerry Armstrong, Sammy McIlroy, Billy Hamilton, Norman Whiteside.

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encourt. Jose Figueroa.

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po Toleoto, Edwind Laing, David

so, Carlos Caballeto.

Two team changes did the trick for Honduras. Jose Cruz, included in defence at the expense of veteran Jose Bulnes, frustrated the Irish forwards, and Eduardo Laing who came on as a second-half substitute, scored the equalising goal.

The result left Ireland with the daunting prospect of having to beat Spain to advance to the second round. But the Irish generally were

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But the Irish generally were
outplayed by the more skillar
Honduras team, which played
long, delightful passages of
one-twos while their opponents
chased shadows. Ireland, however, had the better scoring
chances because it showed
greater aggression up front,
especially in the air.

And that's not losing sight of



Northern Ireland goalkeeper Pat Jennings makes a valiant but vain bid to save. Honduras striker Hector Zelaya celebrates his country's goal. The match ended in a 1-1 draw.

goal. The fact that it was with a header that Laing got his equaliser.

The Central Americans again were well served by commanding centre-back Allan Costly, while Gilberto Yearwood, Ramon Maradiaga and Hector Zalaya, who scored against Spain, provided plenty of midfield inspiration.

Striker Norman Whiteside, 17, who became Northern Ireland's youngest-ever player in the finals when awarded his first cap against Yugoslavia, did enough to justify a further chance in this match.

The Central Americans, repeating the scoreline against

he match ended in a 1-1

Spain last week, recovered from falling behind to a ninthminute goal.

Northern Ireland took its early lead through Gerry Armstrong and then had to withstand frantic Honduras attempts to equalise.

With the score level, neither side was able to launch a decisive attack in the closing minutes as the energy-sapping heat took its toll.

The Irish went ahead when they won a free kick on the left of the penalty area after 17-year-old Norman Whiteside was brought down by Cesar Gutierrez.

Sammy McHroy's free kick

Gutierrez.
Sammy McIlrov's free kick

struck the bar and when Honduras failed to clear the loose ball, Armstrong headed home from close range.

In the ensuing counter-at-acks, Porfirio Betancourt hit the bar and Jose Figueroa had a shot saved superbly by Pat Jennings.

After Whiteside had a goal

Jennings.
After Whiteside had a goal disallowed for offside in the 56th minute, the action swept back into the Irish half and Jennings brought off another fine save, tipping the ball over

But from the corner kick, Laing headed bis goal and dis-appeared under an untidy pile of jubilant team-mates

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Olympic Village. Votes by
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(M), 4. Calderon (M), 3
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1. Paton (H).

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 (Johnston 3) BRISBANE
LIONS 1 (Sunderland) at International Sports Centre.
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Marton (St. G), 4. Stone (St. G), 3. Slater (St. G), 2. Melta (AC), 1. J. Nyskohue (AC). APIA LEICHHARDT 1 (Gleripacio pen) SYDNEY CITY HAKCAH 4 (Patika, Murray, Spanos, Mitchell) at Lambert Park. Votas by Alex Vesic:

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33. Kosmina (SC)
32. Adam (W), Banfield (AC)
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24. O'Connor (W), Boyle (Mak), Yankos (H'berg)
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11. Soper (APIA), Koussas (SO), Honeyman (WA).
10. Giampaolo (APIA), Cole, Campbell (H'berg).
9. J. Nyskohus (AC), Brown (Mak).

# Bravo Borges, **Buljevic** lifesaver

From page one

Kyriakouleas and Belic have recovered from injury and should resume their places at right back and midfield re-spectively, against South Mel-bourne Hellas at Middle Park

The state of the s

schedule. The club was hoping he would be here in time for, the match.

Branko Buljevic has awad Hollas from defeat with two goals in as many weeks, and it remains a mystery to me that he hasn't been a permanent fixture in this team. Billy Rogars has been assigned the job as striker, yet it is Buljevic who should be playing there in the absence of Alun Evans who remains transfer-listed.

Newcastle has been strengthened over recent weeks by British recruits Jim Hamilton and Stewart Robertson but without Craig Johnston, it has little hope of winning at Makedonia's Connor Reserve stronghold, since David Jones has strengthened Makedonia's defence considerably and Claude Lucchesi is scoring regularly. All Makedonia's defence considerably and Claude Lucchesi is scoring regularly. All Makedonia needs now is for Doug Brown to recapture his scoring form.

Alan Waldron and Steve Bryant, two newcomers to the PSL, will confront each other in the Wollongong v. Canberra match, with Wollongong starting as clear favorite.

Waldron, who played his rist game against J U.S.T. last week, played for Blackpool in England and Bryant, who scored 200 league goals with Birmingham and Portsmouth, scored in his debut Brazilian bombshell Nello Borges attributes his current

against Makedonia.

Brazilian bombshell NelioBorges attributes his current success with Sydney City to a 
toughening up 1981 season with 
NSW State League premier 
Sydney Croatia.

NSW State League premier Sydney Croatia.

Borges, the last of Sydney City's South American connection, was only a borderline prospect until coach Eddie Thomson turned him over to Croatia on loan.

Now he is an integral part of a bustling midfield partnership which also features Socreon captain Murray Barnes and youth international Jim Patikas.

Sydney City meets Brisbane City at home and a win would be a clear pointer to its securing a third championship on the trot.

Said Thomson today: "The

Said Thomson today: "The year with Croatia helped Nelio develop into an aggressive player.

player.

Thomson attributes some of his club's success to its preparedness to farm players out to other clubs, as well as its



**Nelio Borges** 



Branko Buljevic

preference for experienced back-up players.

He said: "At present goal-keeper Tony Pezzano is on loan to Brisbane City and full-back Brett Woods is with Croatia.
"We always listen to reasonable offers from the clubs, but the players' wishes are also considered.

onsidered.

Marconi should have Ian
Hunter back from injury for
its match against St George at
mean the Sydney City — St
George stranglehold at the top
of the league will be broken.

It's just like the old days,
Sydney City Hakonh and St
George Budapest invariably
held first or second position in
the NSW First Division in the
NSW First Division in the
late sixties and early seventies, with APIA the only real
challenger.

Rom Millman and Billy Williamson seem to have lost

Ron Millman and Buy williamson seem to have lost their scoring knack in recent weeks, but they'll have to re-capture it if they hope to knock off Heidelberg at Richlands. Charlie Yankos, Jim Tansey and Arthur McMillan are ex-

and Arthur McMillan are ex-celling in Heidelberg's defence, so Alan Sunderland aione won't be enough. Sydney Olympic made a welcome return to the top four with two successive victories, and should add another against Adelaide City at Pratten Park. Olympic seems to have learned its lessons in defence. Weekend matches with likely winners in capitals:

IN WOLLONGONG
WOLLONGONG v. Canberra City at Wollongong

IN MELBOURNE
South Melbourne Hellas v. FOOTSCRAY J.U.S.T. at
Middle Park. Middle Park.
PRESTON MAKEDONIA v. Newcastle KB United at Connor Reserve.

IN SYDNEY
SYDNEY CITY HAKOAH v. Brisbane City at Sydney

hletic Field.
Marconi-Datsun v. ST GEORGE BUDAPEST at Mar-ni Stadium.

SYDNEY OLYMPIC v. Adelaide City Juventus at Prat-

IN ADELAIDE
WEST ADELAIDE HELLAS v APIA-Lachhardt at Hin-

IN BRISBANE
Brisbane Lions v. Heidelberg-Alexander (draw) at Richlands.

# LABBOZZETTA

PSL vice-chairman Tony Labbozzetta is angry over criticism of his absence from a PSL secretaries meeting

criticism of his absence from a PSL secretaries meeting in Sydney last week.

Those who attended decided to send "strong letters" to clubs which failed to send delegates and to Labbozzetta who had been expected to attend.

Labbozzetta however, wasn't even invited.

It seems that when PSL chairman Sam Papasavas said in advance that the would be unable to attend, someone was to ask Labozzetta to come instead. Nobody did, however.

"Had I received an invitation, I certainly would have come along," Labbozzetta said, "even though there would have been no reason for me to be there. It was, after all a secretaries' meeting, and our PSL secretary, Paul Kemp, was there."

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# **PSL TEAM OF**

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JeHeys (WA).

"P.S.L. SUPERBOOT AWARD"

# Patikas equalises, bye-bye AP

### APIA 1 Syd. City 4

Venue: Lambert Park Crowd; 5428 Referee: Richard Lorenc 10 Yellow cards: Patikas, S. O'-onnor, Kafka

Goals: Giampaolo (pen) 1-0, Patikas 1-1, Murray 1-2, Spanos 1-3, Mitchell 1-4. APIA: Parks 7, Skellern 5, McAusland 6, Pullon 7, Carter 5, Bradley 7, Butler 8, (McBroon 67), Burrows 5, Soper 6, Giampaolo 6, Kafka 8.

SYDNEY CITY: Clarke 8, cant 6, Robertson 6, O'Connor , Bruce 7, Patikas 9, Barnes 7 Spanos 7 — 60th), Watson 8, flurray 9, Borges 7.

Billed as the derby of the round, APIA v Sydney City Hakoah provided thrilis and spills, with Hakoah always in the driv-er's seat despite being 0-1 down at half time.

down at half time.

Giampaolo made the break
midway through the first half,
beating Robertson then Clarke, before being brought
down inside the area which
gave APIA its only goal via
Giampaolo's spot kick, but
even during that half it was an
all-out battle for APIA to keep
Hakoah at bay.

Hakoah came forward in droves and was kept out by some superb saves from Parks and a well-marshalled defence led by Mark Pullen.

Both sides played hard and never gave an inch but there was always that little differ-ence between the two sides

J.U.S.T. 1

Wollongong 2

Wollongong 2
Scorers: O'Connor 25th,
Adam 58th (W), Ristovaki 71st
J.J.S.T.)
Ground: Schintler Reserve
Crowd: 1200
Rofereo: D. Yelland
JUST: Ciric 7, Stojcovski 6,
O'Roilly 6, Kondarios 7, Hazabent 6, Milne 6, Ilioski 6,
Curovic 6 (Jovanovic 66m),
Ristovski 7, Simic 6, Kojic 7
WOLLOMONG: Preston 7,
Willis 6, Ainsworth 8, Ber Togna 8, Dunleavy 6, Waldron
6, Adam 7, Floming 7, Tredinnick 6, O'Connor 7, Corton 6
Just when the cloud of relegation was starting to evaporate away from Schintler Respoorest performance since
March to cast doubt on the
future of the club yet again.
JUST had weathered two
coaching changes as well as injuries to four of its players to
go through an unbeaten run of
seven matches and club officials aiready were talking in
terms of aiming for the Philips
League championship next
season.
Now all it needs is for the

League continuous season.

Now all it needs is for the back four to be as vulnerable as last Sunday for one or two more matches and there might not be a Philips League to look forward to next season.

The defence was caught square too many times for

with Hakoan naving the edge over its opponent.

With a one-goal advantage and some 5,000 home fans cheering, APIA looked set to cause an upset but failed to take advantage of its oppor-tunities.

tunities.

Only a minute after the break, Marshall Soper broke into the clear and had only Clarke to beat, but he failed to notice Ian Bruce chasing and lost the ball to the alert full back with an empty net in sight.

Soper missed from close range, then Spanos did the same with his header at the other end but with 19 minutes orner end but with 19 minutes remaining, Spanos made it 3-1 and almost safe for the vis-itors following a neat cross by Watson. Spanos headed down and the ball bounced off the ground and over Parks into the net.

net.

APIA came back and forced a penalty after Kafka was brought down by Robertson but for some reason it was John Bradley who took the kick and not Giampaolo. His kick was weak and "telephoned" long before it was struck, giving Clarke an easy save.

Wollongong rings J.U.S.T.'s relegation bell

Peter Desira

comfort and to rub salt into the wound, the only solid contrib-utor, Jim Kondarios, was at fault for both goals conceded.

The signs of what was in store surfaced as early as the 12th minute when Igor Hazabent pulled down Roy Cotton in the area for an unquestionable penalty decision.

able penalty decision.

Keeper Milutin Ciric delayed the impending disaster
saving the twice taken penalty
by Lee Adam, diving correctly
both times although he was
judged to have moved too
early by referee David Yelland for the first attempt.

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land for the first attempt.

The opening goal came 13 minutes later when Kondarios headed away a Peter Tredinick corner kick but only as far as Phil O'Connor at the far nost and the striker made no mistake from close range.
O'Connor really has hit a purple patch lately and Sun-

With APIA coming forward and looking better than in any part of the match, that was the crucial moment in the game. Only a minute later Mitcheil made an unexpected break. Rod Skellern had the ball at his feet and, attempting to kick, he found the body of an oncoming Mitchell in the way. The ball bounced perfectly for Mitchell to run around Parks and make it 4-1.

Willie Wallace, one of the most pleasant coaches at post-match interviews, was absent after the game. His team



missed the easy ones and allowed some soft goals but in the end there was no mistake about which was the better side and deserved to win.



Jim Patikas

# Defensive attitude mars Makedonia

### Canberra 1 Makedonia 1

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day's goal was his sixth in as many matches.
Footscray rallied for a short while after the break and Mendo Ristowski, JUST's best player, hit the crossbar with a sizzler from the left.
But the revival lasted only until Adam accepted the best gift he'll get all season in the 56th minute.
Jim Kondarios in his haste to start another attack, hurriedly took a goalkick but succeeded only in giving the ball to Adam standing some 30 yards out.

to Adam standing some avyards out.

The midfielder steadied, and let fly a lobbed shot which gave Ciric, yards off his line, no chance.

JUST replaced the ineffective Suleriman Curvic with Slobodan Jovanovic soon after and switched Milne to centreback to give Kondarios a more attacking role.

Ristovski revived their

Ristovski revived their hopes when he swooped on the loose ball to shoot home in the 71st minute after Jim Preston lost an aerial duel with Kondarios.

lost an aerial duel with Konda-rios.

But it was Wollongong which had the best scoring chance in the closing stages. Cotton had only the keeper to beat after he and O'Connor had broken through on a counter attack but the striker's shot and soil of the counter attack but the striker's shot and soil of the counter attack but the striker's chord and soil of the line.

A goal snatched by new English Import Steve Bryant just six minutes from full-time gave Canberra a 1-1 draw against Makedonia at Bruce Stadium last Sunday. And it was a point Makedonia must have been happy to collect. It was, after all, what it had come to achieve.

That it was out for a draw was evident by Doug Brown sitting on the bench and the fact that even after a dream start Makedonia still chose to attack only from quick break-

For the rest of the match it adopted a nine-man, stone-wall defence.

wall defence.

And it almost gave the visitors maximum points.
Canberra wasted far too many chances and Makedonia's physically bigger defenders did their job well — particularly centre back David Jones whose heading ability and hard tackling were evident throughout. Makedonia adopted a nonsense, play-it-save approach although it proved it has a fine attack when it chose to move forward.

Canberra missed the ex-

Canberra missed the ex-plosive speed and hard running of the injured Tony Brennan.

of the injured Tony Brennan.

In his place, coach George
Murray gave 20-year-old Alan
Reis his chance to make his
mark but the youngster, while
grafting solidly, failed to make
a big impression although it is
obvious he is on the doorstep of
a regular first time place.

Bryant, his replacement, is a player of a different calibre. But first Makedonia's dream start. It scored one of the quickest goals in PSL his-

It came after just 40 sec-

It came after just 40 seconds.

Big Gary Ward's centre floated over the heads of Canberra's defenders although Mike Milovanovic did at least appear to get a touch, and then fell perfectly at the feet of the waiting Claude Lucchesi.

Lucchesi slammed the ball neatly between defenders and into the right-hand corner from some 12 metres.

Yet despite this superb beginning, as I said earlier, Makedonia chose te close the game down and defend dogged and waiting the same down and defend dogged and waiting the same down and defend dogged and the same down and defend dogged for the same down and service of the same down and defend and Jones way — to Ollerton, Miranda and Jones — and two Canberra's way, to Terry Byrne and Michael Milovanovic's card gave him an automatic one-match suspension.

nim an automatic one-mater suspension. Yet Canberra were easily the more positive and con-structive side. And in flashes it showed some superb touches. Yet on Sunday its finishing was abysmal. It was as bad as

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was Makedonia's defen-siveness. siveness.

It was not a game to enhance either side's reputation.

Doug Brown came on only late in the game as a replacement for Richard Miranda.

But even in a quick break situation Makedonia proved it has a forward line of real shill.

But even in a quick break situation Makedonia proved it has a forward line of real ability. If only it had chosen to use it more readily.

If only it had chosen to use it more readily.

The part of the star chances and twice thit the woodwork before getting the late equaliser.

The first was after as minutes when Ian Purdle headed a neat fan Gibson cross against the underside of the bar and again late in the game when Don MacLaren's header from a Purdle centre smashed from a Purdle centre smashed against the angle of the post and the bar.

And only 50 seconds earlier

and the bar.
And only 50 seconds earlier
another MacLaren header had
gone but a foot wide of the upright.
Yes, Canberra deserved the

the way in which he took his opportunity.
An ex-Birmingham and Portsmouth player, Bryant, 28, collected the ball on the edge of the penalty area from a neat Christopoulos back

a neat Christopoulos back pass.

He then ghosted around two defenders before hammering his shot into the root of the net. No side could wish for a better debut — particularly since he arrived in Australia only 24 hours before the game. A close friend of lan Purdie. Bryant has played over 200 League games in English First and Third Division soccer and still came on a free transfer.

still came on a free transfer.

He looks a most useful acquisiton.



Steve Potter

# his midfielders Scorers: Bohan (BC), Bulje-c (Helias). vic (Hollas). Venue: Spencer Park. Conditions: Fine and warm. Crown: About 1800. Referee: Tim Davies 9. CITY: Pezzano 7, Perry 7, Hermiston 8, Liddell 7, Tokasi 7, McVeigh 7, Pimblett 8, Hamilton 6, Conner 6, Glock-

Caretaker coach

Watson slams

Bris. City 1

S.M. Hellas 1

mitton 6, Conner 6, Glock-ner 6, Bohan 8. HELLAS: Tsigaris 7, Ben-nett 7, Nikolaides 7, Blair 8, Xanthopoules 7, Holford 7, (Stevenson 67th), Rogers 8, Davidson 7, Egan 7, Campbell 6, Bullivis 6

(Stevenson 67th), Rogers 6, Davidson 7, Egan 7, Campball 6, Bulgivis 6. Bourn 1, Campball 6, Bulgivis 6. Bourn Mike Watson labelled his middfield as "and blamed their lack of cohesion as the reason behind the 1-1 draw with Brisbane City at Spencer Park last weekend. "They all want to do their hing and seidom combine in the one move. It is something we definitely have to look at," Watson said. "That, combined with the

It was an easy avenue of attack for the visitors and des-

It was an easy avenue of attack for the visitors and despite the two successful times they attacked City down the flank in the first 30 minutes of the game, they failed to again exploit the opening until the dying stages.

The reason for the opening until the dying stages.

The reason for the opening was Brisbane City coach Nereo Saftich's decision to use three central defenders as he did with success against Bristeries. The plan uses Frank Liddell and Peter Tokesi as dual stoppers with Jim Hermiston as sweeper and Steve Perry as rightback. Perry was to stay on George Campbell and Tokesi on Branko Buljevic which they both did well. But the plan also calls for someone to move over to the left when the defence is he ingit when the defence is the defence is the defence is the defence is the

But the plan also calls for some the plan also calls for left when the defence is being attacked from the flank. But that seldom eventuated. Neither Tokesi nor Perry could leave their man, Jim Hermilston as sweeper could not leave their man, Jim Hermilston as sweeper could cleave the centre and Liddell also couldn't stray and leave Charlie Egan alone. So South Melbourne Hellas was allowed, on the few occasions it tried, to attack from the flanks City was hoping to be able to head away any crosses as it did against Lions. The two times Hellas tried it, its attack resulted in a

The two times Hellas tried it, its attack resulted in a state treatment of the tried it. Its attack resulted in a substantial tried in the tried in the tried was far too soft and a similar attempt by Bullevic.

But then, for some reason the game lapsed into endless midfield drudgery. Hellas illimited its play to the area between the edges of the two penalty boxes and gave awy more balls than it woo.

Persistently attack went

more balls than it won.

Persistently attack went
down the middle, broke down
then the opposition would do
exactly the same. On the few
occasions anyone pushed anything wide it looked dangerous.

gerous.
City did it a few times but either fiddled and lost the ball before crossing or crossed before looking and found noone in the penalty box.
Hellas didn't even do that and the only time it looked like scoring in the first half was

Ricky Rosso

when Buljevic finally burst through the middle, surpris-ingly getting past all three central defenders but Pezzano made a great save to keep out his low shot.

his low shot.

City switched Perry to leftback in the second half, which
closed the gap there but of
course opened another on the
flank he just left, which Helias
failed to realise or at least if it
did it didn't exploit it. City's
second attack of the half resulted in a goal.

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The very next attack on goal, which was six minutes later, resulted in an equaliser for Hellas.



**Billy Rogers** 

Billy Rogers, who despite disobeying his conch's instructions was involved in much of the play, knocked a long ball in from the left. Egan, despite being much smaller than the three defenders who had surrounded him all day, amazingly found space to get a free header back across to Bullevic who also ran unmarked to blast the ball in from close range.

range.

In the following five minutes
City had two chances to gahead. A Frank Liddell header
which went wide and a Bobby
Hamilton attempt which Tsigaris did well to save then to
his amazement watched the
ball take an awkward bounce
and go over the foot of Bohan
who was running in to finish
off.

Stevenson for Carl Holford and its play became much more composed. It again attacked City down the open flank but apart from an Egan shot, which was brilliantly saved by City keeper Pezzano, it never really pressured the City goal and time ran out.

Finally a congratulating word to referee Tim Davies who was always in control, although admittedly it was not a tough game to handle. Davies was always on the spot and a few stern words early in the piece stamped his authority on the match.

It came as a welcome change from some of the refer-eeing performances in Bris-bane of late.

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### **Conlan sent off** Adams,

Last season's champion, Brighton, won its lirst game of the season in style when it downed Metro-Claremont S-1 in Hobart on Friday night, King scored four goals and lan Parker notched the flith. Paul Hallam scored for Metro with a penalty in the linal minute of the game.

a penalty in the final minute of the game.

In Friday night's main game, Rapid issued a challenge to both Olympia and Juenus when it easily beat Croatia 30. Southworth scored twice in the first half and Oakes added the third early in the second. Croatia never really got going against the sick one-touch style of Rapid and finished the game with 10 players when Kevin Adams left the field injured with a

By WALTER PLESS

game.

Olympia and Juventus turned on a fine game on Sunday, a game which Olympia won 1-0 thanks to an own goal by Jones, the Juventus goalkeeper. It came in the 12th minute when an intended clearance by Pace went fligh in the air above his own goal. Jones went to punch clear but, pressured by two Olympia players, he succeeded only in swiping the ball into the back of ble zone.

Fortunes oscillated throughout the game and both sides missed excellent chances. Olympia had Conlan sent off mid-way through the second half but survived as its remaining players stepped uptheir efforts. Harrison had a superb game in the Olympia goal and he was chaired off by the jubilant Greek supporters at the end of the match.

White Eagles accounted for South Hobart 3-0 in the earlier game and the situation is tight at the top now, with three teams on 15 points, just one point behind leader Juventus.

# Strange goals, strange result, Adelaide City lucky

Adel City 2

Scorers: St George: Slater 28th, Merton 54th. Adelaide City: Duarte o.g. 6th, Melta 81st.

City: Duarte o.g. 6th, Melta Stat.
Crowd: 1545.
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ST GEORGE: Fraser 7 —
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O'Shoe 7, Ratcliffe 7, R.
O'Shoe 7, Ratcliffe 7, R.
O'Shoe 7, Barton 7 — Slater 8,
Wilkinson 7, Marton 8.
ADELAIDE CITY: Forguson 8 — Russell 6, Barfield 7,
Floundars 7, B. Nyskohuz 6 —
Melta 7, Marocchi 7, Manou 7
- Villani 6, Rankin 6 (Snillabeer 64th), J. Nyskohuz 7.

St George opened the stronger, shading and some-times awanped Adelaide City for most of the game yet they had to settle for a home draw at the St George Stadium.
Adelaide City came out in poor form and constantly was bustled off the ball, and yet it only needed John Nyskohus to drive his penalty kick home and it could have been the winner.

and it could have been the wim-ner.

That was part of the story of a strange game indeed, after which Adelaide City was de-lighted to take an unexpected point home on the plane.

If ever a goal could have been confidently nominated for a 'non-goal of the year' award it was the one that ar-



rived in Adelaide City's favour

rived in Adelaide City's favour in the sixth minute. St George had been rapping on Adelaide City's door from the kick-off. Then it worket ball back and Dennis Duarte intended to push it to his goalkeeper. Mike Fraser. Fraser went down to accept an easy ball in advance of the pass. All he could do was stare

as the ball nonchalantly gave him the go-by and just had enough pace to carry it into his net. Soon afterwards Charlie Vil-lani did not settle quickly enough and missed narrowly from a John Nyskohus build-

St George was picking up its men extremely well and Adel-aide City was looking second-rate.

rate.

It came as no surprise when a long Dez Marton throw-in in the 28th minute was played across goal by Duarte and Robbie Slater hit it into goal for the equaliser.

No doubt Duarte breathed a sight of relief as his part in the

John O'Shea narrowly missed just before halftime, and the pattern of St George dominance continued into the second half.

second half.

Marton showed all his drive and canning in the 54th minute. He latched on to a ball just to the right of the penalty box in Adelaide territory. Opposing goalkeeper Bobby Ferguson advanced and had him covered, but Marton swung to his left and beat the three defenders who were desperately trying to cover their goal. It was a high shot that they could not handle for both height and speed as it flew into the net.

John Nyskohus, who was having a game that saw some brilliant runs and some unchabrilliant runs and some aucha-racteristic mistakes, moved into the box at a rate of knots but Ratcliffe's attempt to pull him back did not go unnoticed.

Nyskohus himself took the the bar seemingly at about level of the jets that arrinto Mascot airport nearby.

John Perin then tried Paul Shillabeer for Peter Rankin and Frank Arok brought on

Peter Terry for Dennis Duarte.
St George understandably was looking to a 2-1 win and it could have gone to 3-1 in the 76th minute when Paul Wilkinson got his head onto the end of a swinging Slater cross only to find the more than reliable Ferguson picking the ball out of the air.
With nine minutes to go John Nyskohus and Villani helped Sergio Melta to a ball that he resolutely worked to the left near post and then deposited the equaliser at 2-2.
For that result Adelaide City can thank Bobby Ferguson and Melta in particular, not to mention good friend Lady Luck.

# **OLYMPIC BACK** ON THE WINNING

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WEST ADELAIDE: Crook 8
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Dunn 6, Totsikas 6 – Atsalas
6, Brennan 6, Doorne 6, Heys
7, Honeyman 7, McGregor 7,
OLYMPIC: Meler 8
— Coady 7, Wilson 8, Rowdon 8,
Rogers 8 – Rodfern 7 (Akoutas 7), Raskopoulos 9,
Katholos 9 — Jennings 6,
Koussas 8, Gavin 8.
Scorer: Redfern 30th

Scorer: Redfern 30th Crowd: 3600

Ground: Hindmarsh Staium Referee: Jim Rossis 9

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It may be too late to dis-place Sydney City, but Sydney Olympic has once again set its sights on the top.

It dispatched a feeble West Adelaide with class and style and could have won by a bigger score with an ounce of luck.

Olympic clearly was the better side, and it is hard to imagine that Doug Collins' men went through a run of six matches without defeat.

Peter Katholos and Peter Raskopoulos were magnificent in midfield and completely destroyed West's trio — Mick Brennan, Steve Atsalas and David Doorne

It was Katholos who set up the solitary score when he ex-changed passes with Jimmy Redfern who in turn slammed a great 20 metre drive into the bottom left hand corner.

Before that goal, Rasko-poulos struck two stinging drives which Crook saved, while the best West could offer was a strike from Honeyman outside the penalty area which Gary Meier fumbled.

West's normally reliable back four was in all sorts of bother, particularly Tom Tot-sikas and Robbie Dunn.



Meno Toutsidis

West lifted its game after the break and while it did not have the skill to compete with Olympic, its work rate was high and the Sydney club had its share of awkward mo-ments.

Graham Heys, Ian McGre-gor and Graham Honeyman began to chip away at the Olympic defence in the second half.

Heys managed to put the ball into the net in the final moments but the goal was dis-allowed for offside.

McGregor had two good stri-kes, but both were off target.

wes, out both were off target.

While West pushed forward with much enthusiasm, Olympic launched several incisive attacks many of which look certain to drive the final nail into West's coffin.

With two defeats in succes-sion, West is in danger of fall-ing into the sort of hole from which Olympic has just emer-red.

Coach Alan Vest will be ob-viously delighted with the im-pending return of Kiwi inter-nationals, Steve Sumner and Allan Boath who must forget about Malaga and Seville and concentrate on the battles of Hindmarsh et al.

Both men will play against APIA Leichhardt at Hin-dmarsh Stadium on Sunday.

If West is to get back into the four, it must defeat APIA which dropped its first point of the season against the Adel-aide club back in April.



Olympic striker Tommy Gavin (right) tries a lob as West Adelaide stopper Robbie Dunn looks on. Pictures by FRANK HOBBS.



ground) tangles with West Adelaide defender lan McKie.

# Three goal **Johnston** KB's hero

### Newcastle 3 **Bris Lions 1**

Ground: International ports Centre
Weather: Fine.
Crowd: 6524. Crowd: 6524. Cautions: Miliman (Lions). Referee: R. Davies 6. Scorers: Johnston 3, Sun-rland.

derland.

NEWCASTLE KB: Dando 7,
Curran 6, Tredinnick 6, Drinkwater 7, Sneddon 7, Mason 8,
Robertson 9, Hamilton 7,
Lowe 7, Jones 7, Johnston 9.

Lowe 7, Jones 7, Jonnston 3. BRISBANE LIONS: Lownds 8, McSkimmings 7, Nivon 6, Atmore 6, Bennett 8, Burns 7, Low 6, Williamson 6, Millman 6, Sunderland 8, Wright 7.

A brilliantly inspired per-formance by Craig Johnston enabled Newcastle to once again get off the bottom of the ladder by defeating Brisbane Lions in a thoroughly enter-taining came.

ladder by defeating Brisbane
Lions in a thoroughly entertaining game.
Seldom if ever, have I seen
one player having such an influence on a match.
From the seventh minute
when he gained possession
on the half way line from an
exchange with Col Curran,
Johnston weaved his way
around four defenders cutting
inside, served David Jones on
the right touchline and remarkably popped up in the
centre of the goalmouth to
head Jones' cross past the
helpiess Nigel Lownds.
From that moment on the
former Newcastle junior and
current Liverpool star brought
the crowd to its feet every
time he touched the ball,
Maybe his greatest contribu-



tion was the inspiring effect he had on the rest of his team.

Most Newcastle players have been a state to be the form of the state. But you was to be the state to be entry to be more than Stutt Abovertson who had a tremendous match.

The diminutive midfielder was everywhere, getting the defence out of trouble on several occasions and bursting through the middle to initiate numerous counter attacks.

eral occasions and bursting through the middle to initiate numerous counter attacks.

He culminated a good game through the middle to initiate when gains a constant of the counter attacks.

He culminated a good game the middled. This time Johnston ran into the open at full speed to get Robertson's pass, round the advancing keeper and put the ball in an empty net from a narrow angle for a memorable goal.

Watching the crowd of 6524 give Johnston a standing ovarion was certainly heartwarming especially considering the fact that they had to put up with some drab performances early in the season. But they certainly had their money's worth last week.

By reading my previous paragraphs one could be excused in thinking that the visitors surrendered easily. On the contrary Brisbane Lions must be congratulated in making the game the spectacle it was.

They equalized the early set back when Alan Sunderland nipped in to collect a short back pass by Curran to his keeper, and put the visitors on level terms.

The Arsenal star, guesting for Lions, also showed his

level terms.

The Arsenal star, guesting for Lions, also showed his class, especially in the first half when every time he gained possession there was opening made. Unfortunately for the Lions, his team mates were not capable of taking ad-

vantage of his derenacting passes.

Brisbane Lions manager Joe

ring passes.

Brisbane Lions manager Joe
Gilroy was possibly unlucky to
lose Craig Low with a leg
injury with 15 minutes to go,
after having already substituted Billy Williamson with
John Ogden.

But there was no stopping
Newcastle on the day which
finished the match on a crescendo and in the last 20
minutes had several good opportunities, but on each occasion Lownds denled the local
forward's a goal until Johnston
put the Issue beyound doubt
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to achieve their goal just like
he did, bringing players of its
callibre back as guest stars is
certainly worthwhile.

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lt may find itself sharing the points on Sunday. Hellas-Hakoah is probably one of the hardest sides for a tipster to follow. The Greek sponsored club runs hot and cold. It scored a remarkable 42 win over Polonia two weeks ago only to go down 2-0 to George Cross the following week.

Anything could happen and probably will when Hellas-Hakoah goes to Croydon Park to Sunday.

I'm tipping Croydon to win but I won't be surprised if the visitors turn it on like they seem to de every second week.

Northcote will surprised if the visitors turn it on like they should be compared to the control of the control

Maitland.
Maitland joined Northcote
last Monday from George
Cross for \$1250.

# Broken down Marconi can't match the Bergers in boredom stakes

### Heidelberg 2 Marconi 1

Wilarconi 1
Scorers: Salomidis 16th,
McMillan own goal 17th,
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Vanue: Olympic Village
Crowd: About 2000
Referee: Chris Bambridge 6.
MARCONI-DATSUN:
Maher 7 — Bozanic 9,
Calderon 9, Prskalo 7, Buldni 6
— Henderson 7, Vierl 6,
McCulloch 6 — Dunijek 7,
Mariani 6 (Licata 73rd), Silva 6

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HEIDELBERG-ALEXANDER: Olver 7 -- McMillan 8.

BEIDELEERG.ALEXANDER: Olver 7 — McMillin 8,
Yankos 9, Maclood 7, Tansey 8 — Beklaris 7, Campbell 7,
Taking away all the square passes in defence, all the backpasses to both goalkeepers,
time-wasting in general and
more throw-ins then I've seen
in any other game, we were
left with perhaps 50 minutes'
play instead of 90.
Both teams wanted the
other to take the initiative and,
most of the time, neither
would. Nevertheless, both
defences kept on holding the
ball, trying to coax the opponents forwards.
Heidelberg is good at this
game and within the context of
this style, all the players did
their jobs well and at least
Heidelberg was dangerous
when it attacked.



Marconi however, either lost the bail because it tried to run it forward, and the men up front were far too slow to play on the break.

The midfield started very little. Roberto Vieri and Toom McCulloch were ineffective while Tony Henderson, who did make position in open space without getting the bail much in the first half, dropped back after the interval, giving Marconi three centre backs.

He was all so depressing.
He was all so the rectift, did snatch a victory—albeit in the Sth minute—and now boasts a place in the top four. Marconi however, has problems galore.

The latest ones that mani-

galore.
The latest ones that mani-fested themselves last Sunday lested themselves last Sunday were the absence of strikers Mark Jankovics and lan Hunter due to injury. Without them, Marconi really didn't have a forward line, although Nikola Duvnjak did do all he could. Rene Licata had a swollen foot and could play only as a substitute, Vieri wasn't him-self because there had been a death in his family, and Vic Bozanic, even though he was Marconi's star, played with a corked thigh.

corked thigh.

Those problems simply compound the ones Marconi created for itself through it selling splurge early in the year. Gone are Eddie Krncevic, Peter Brogan, Stewart Johnston, Houssein Houssein, Peter Sharne, Gary Byrne, Paul Degney, Jim Muir and Dragan Tomasic. Joe Picioane returned to Melbourne last week but still has a back injury and won't be signed by Fawkner until he recovers.

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Man won't ob signed by Pakmer until he recovers.

Jovan Djordjevic, who was
to have been a new Marconi
star, has played only one full
match due to an injury which
looks so serious it may even
end his career. Djordjevic,
who came from Blacktown,
cost Marconi \$12,500 plus Johnston and Housseini.
Coach Dom Kapetanovic remains under fire, as Marconi now is only three points
clear of the relegation zone,
but to be fair, Kapetanovic deserves a medal for having kept
Marconi above water for so
long.

Heidelberg, meanwhile, will be without sweeper John Yzen-doorn for at least six weeks due to injury but Charlie Yan-kos, who took Yzendoorn's



Vic Bozanic

position last Sunday, was out-

standing.
With Yzendoorn out, Heidelberg had transfer-listed Ken
Taylor back on the bench on
Sunday.

Heidelberg started sensationally, with a blistering 30-metre shot by Theo Selemidis, which went over Allan Maher's head, for a brilliant

But only seconds later, Bo-zanic stormed forward and launched one of his character-istic piledrivers. It wasn't going towards the goal, but when Arthur McMillan stuck his foot out at it, the ball

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Heidelberg back in front when
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Olver made a good save from Bertie Mariani — playing only his second game after a five-month spell due to injury — and at the other end Maher foiled Mike Valentine who shot after playing a one-two into

after playing a one-two into the box.

Heidelberg came out for the second half dressed in white shirts instead of the yellow it had worn in the first half. The change was due to the rain. Jim Campbell started the second half with a shot that Jim Campbell started the second half with a shot that was deflected into space on the left. Selemidis latched onto it but his foot shot was saved well by Maher.

Selemidis came close again when he flew horizontally to head a cross from Jim Tansey, but this time it was too high. With time running out, the Marconi defence missed a corner from Campbell and Jamie Paton nipped in to give Heidelberg victory with a header.



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With big Alex Marshall on song up front, home team Polonia can score an important win at Raleigh Reserve on Sunday over top four rival George Cross. closely two weeks ago against Jurventus and he really is razor sharp. He's got the nack of pushing the hall past a defender a fraction of a second before the tackle comes in. And Toal aso is a tremendous "diver." It's hard to keep track of the number of free kicks he wins. Then there's midfielder Dave Rigby to also worry about. Rigby is right up near the head of the State League goalscorers' list which is proof of the threat this fine attacking midfielder represents to Polonia.

Marshall is something of an enigma though. If he were more consistent in his finishing he easily could be the leading scorer in State League. He is deceptively fast and his height and soild build have taken nothing away from his close ball skills which are excellent. He also can strike the ball with venom and if he's on target on Sunday then young George Cross keeper "Rocky" Tachiris will be in for a busy time.

Tachiris has tremendous re-exes though and a good pair

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of hands. He's not tall but once he clutches the ball it usually sticks. He was George Cross's best against Hellan-Hakoah and a lot rests on his shoulders out injured.

Lawson's sweeper position probably will be filled by experienced Billy Witkinson. Funny how fortunes fluctuate so wildly in this game. A few weeks ago Wilkinson was close to leaving the club he has served so well. Now his presence is invaluable and no doubthe'll adequately fill the defenence is invaluable and no doubt he'll adequately fill the defen-sive hole caused by Lawson's injury.

George Cross has one of the best strikers in the league in Bobby Toal. I watched Toal

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goalscorers' list which is proof of the threat this fine attacking midfielder represents to Polonia. However the Polish sporsored side is one of the finest footballing outfits in the leasure of the Polish goals of the Polish sporsored side is one of the finest footballing outfits in the leasure of the Polish will prove this on Sunday and knock off the Cross in a highly entertaining clash.

Acting Juventus president Sam Manient! may have something to smill about after Sunday's visit to Waratah Reserve Manient! Stepped into the presidency in a kind of carehacer capacity last week while Bernie Santamaria has a well deserved rest.

Juve seems to be making a habit of giving away silly goals. It's almost as if its strikers go out onto the field knowing that they'll have to score at least three goals to clinch victory because a couple of goals are going to be thrown away.

Young Andrew Zinni could win a spot in the starting lineup on Sunday and I'm confident that this highly talented young striker will soon force his way into the side as a regular. championship.

Ajax looks too classy for Frankston at Green Gully Reserve so Croatla must regain its winning ways and soundly beat Falcous.
That's easier said than done. Noell Mitten is in scoring touch and he'd like nothing better than to score against his former club.

I think that Croatia is in for a second successive surprise. CONT. ON PAGE 11 Revenge for Polonia

POLONIA 5 (Marshall 3, lar.

He was sensational two
weeks ago against George
Cross. A repeat performance
at Waratah Reserve and the
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at Croydon Park, 3 pm.

take both points from dis-appointing Sunshine.

Croatia can't afford to slip up against Morwell Falcons at Olympic Park on Sunday, otherwise it can kiss goodbye to its chance of winning the championshlp.

Alex Marshall led Polo-nia's five goal rout of Buf-falo Cup winner Sunshine with a hat-trick at Raleigh Reserve on Sunday.

Reserve on Sunday.

The scoreline was a huge reversal of the result when these sides met in this year's preseason Buffalo Cup. In that match Sunshine won 3-0 and turned in a slick, professional

urned in a slick, professional performance.

The boot was on the other foot here. Big Marshall was quicker to pounce on the loose ball in the 10th minute after a challenge from John Campell. The Polonia striker stabbed at the ball with his right foot and poked it past Dennis Masseni from about eight metres.

Marshall made it 2-0 later in this half after a bad fumble by Masseni. It was a curloug goal though because the referee booked Marshall for fouling Massenmi but still allowed the goal to stand.

booked Marshall for fouling Massenmi but still allowed the goal to stand.
Ricky Lipiarski shot from the right, Masseni went down, numbled and Marshall charged in and shot into the empty net. Sunshine came out with a vengeance for the start of the second half and had far more use of the ball in the opening 20 minutes. Polonia stood firm though, well marshalled by sweeper Stefan Mila.
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CROATIA: Blasby 7 — Curcio 6, Kokoska 7, dams 6, Parton 6 — Antolovic 5, Murphy 7, Go-vic 6 (Dazic 70th) — Latif 6, Brogan 7, Batinov-

Noyland 8, Carroll 8, Stewart 7.

Even without regulars Dave
Brooks and Dave Gibson, Ringwood
Wilhelmina pulled off the shock of
the league season so far by downing
title challenger Croatia 1-0 at Olymnic Park.

Joe Carroll's 15th minute goal was to prove decisive. Former Croatia and Victoria midfielder Joe Tront played a big part in the winning goal. Tront held possession on the left, teasing Jozo Antolovic into committing himself. Croatia sweeper Keith Adams came out of the middle to cover Antolovic and Tront cleverly played the ball inside to John Luyten whose first time cross found Carroll in the clear. Goalkeeper Peter Blasby came out but Carroll slotted the ball in from just inside the area.

Ken Barclay confronted Brogan who slip-ped the ball past him but Billy de Graaf had covered well for his keeper and he cleared off the line.

Although Croatia had far more of the ball in the second half it seemed to run out of ideas on the edge of Wilhelmina's area.

And Croatia's policy of taking long shots failed. Experienced Barclay is in great tough at present and most opposing strikers will be hard pressed to beat the big keeper from outside the area.

# Doves won't know what hit them. Sunshine will be out to restrict a lot of the prestige lost by last weekend's 5-0 drubbing when it russ into Mike de Bruyckere's high flying Ring-wood Wilhelmina at Chaplin Reserve on Sunday. Wilhelmina's win over title contender Croatia stramps it as the most improved side in the league. It struggled throughout last year and finished thrid last. Right now Wilhelmina looms as a genuine top four candidate. Much of the credit for the club's change in fortune must be attributed to the greater quality in the first team squad. The starting line-up against Croating this season. I'm certainly not going to be last to jump onto Wilhelmina's bandwagon so I'm tipping it to

WILHELMINA 1 (Carroll)

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WILHELMINA: Barclay 7 — Pasman 7, de
Graaf 8, Luytan 8, Varniers 7 — O'Riley 6 (Burton 70th), Tront 8, Thom 6 (Cratier 80th) —
Noyland 8, Carroll 8, Stawart 7.

riainey ootsi, mcc.omoe 7, Hobson 7 — Corke či, Oobson 6, Nolan 6 — P. Loughnane 8, Tkachuk 6, Lis 6 (I. Loughnane 65th 7). JUVENTUS: Clayton 7 — V. Bannon 7, P. Bannon 6, Donaldson 6, Hird 7 — Cunningham 8, Cavallari 7 (Nelson 71st), Swinscoo 7 — Heavy 5 (Zinni 70th), McGrovy 7, Incantalupo 7.

McGrory 7, Incantalyop 7.

Green Gully Ajax joined Croydon in a race to sign former Socceroo captain Jimmy Rooney from Heidelberg United as we went to Press.

It looked likely that Croydon would win the services of the talented midflelder but it was all up in the air depending on the outcome of a Croydon committee meeting late on Monday night.

night.
Juventus looked the better side for long periods of Sunday's Croydon Park clash.
The black and whites played the better possession football but threw away a 1-0 lead in the space of three crucial minutes in the

Fabio Incantalupo can count himself un-

Croatia's best chance fell in the 30th minute. Midfielder Kenny Murphy sent Dave Brogan through. Wilhelmina keeper

lucky not to have opened the scoring in the 5th minute but his shot cannoned off the post and into the arms of waiting Croydon keeper Mick Edwards.

Edwards.

Ten minutes into the second haif Juve hit the front. Tiziano Cavallari got onto the end of an Incantalupo cross but his shot hit off a defender and fell to Joe McGrory who whacked the ball in from about four metres out. Croydon substitute Ian Loughanae levelled in the 68th minute with a harmless looking shot which passed through a group of players in front of goal and into the corner of the Juve net.

net.
Three minutes later David Corke and Harry
Hird challenged fiercely for the ball which carly

Hird challenged fiercely for the ball which can free to Peter Loughanne. He knocked it early across to the left side of the area and the un-marked Terry Notan finished off well with a low shot inside the near post. Ged Bannon resumes training this week after an injury lay-off but he may have to wait another week before winning back his place in Juve's starting line-up.

Croydon leads Ajax

in race for Roonev

CROYDON 2 (I. Loughnane, Nolan) JUVENTUS 1

(McGrory)

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Wilhelmina concentrated on getting men back behind the ball as quickly as

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sanagement committee.

The best players from each club for lest weekend's game were: Doveton v Frankston: Webster (D), Drinoczky (F).

Northcote v Morwell Falcona: Nixon (N), Smart (MF).

George Cross v Hellas-Hakosh: Tachiris (GC), Gray (H-H).

Polonia v Sunshine: Mile (P), McRobert (S).

Croydon v Juventus: Corke (C), Cunningham (J).

Croatia v Ringwood Wilhelmins: Murphy (C), Tront (RW).

Ajax v Albion Rovers: Vassallo (A), Lacock (AR).

Four players are tied in the lead on 15 votes each. They are Lou Taigaris (ex-Holles-Hakosh), George Sozikis (Northcote), Paul Drinoczky (Frankston) and Stofan Mila (Polonia). Ametro Travel also sponsors our State League Top Scorer

award.
The leading sherpshooter fort he 1982 league season wins a trip to Singapore, flying Thai International.
Gus Macleod of Ajas heads the accorar list with 11 goals, fol-lowed by Dave Rigby (George Cross) with ten goals. Three players are next, porched on eight: Paul Lewis (Ajex), Dave Brogan (Crostia) and Noel Mitten (Falcons).

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# Steve Lawson breaks leg

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HELLAS-HAKOAH: Perree 8 — Devidson 7, Kalifatidis 7, Hanneh 7, Trafficants 6 — Bazinovaki 8, Owen 7, Wilson 6 (Kalambokis 62ndi), Gray 8 — Abrasm 7, Curmings 7.

- Abrasm 7, Cummings 7.

George Cross's joy at downing Hellas-Hakoah was dampened by news late on Sunday that sweeper Steve Lawson had broken his leg.

The former Slavia defender was carried off in the 72nd minute and taken to hospital where X-rays confirmed that he has a broken fibula in his left leg. He'll be in plaster for at least three weeks and provided the bone knits well he may be able to resume playing within two months.

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His loss is a blow to George Cross. Lawson has been one of the club's most consistent performers after joining from Slavia for about \$4,500 carrier this year.

This win against Hellas-Hakonh established Dave Rigby as the leading midfield scorer in the league, his ability to ghost into the opposition area combined with fine finishing have made him Rigby struck his first celling blow in the 21st minute when he ran through onto a Bobby Toul pass and hammered the ball past Mark Perree from about eight metres.

Ray Pisani headed off the line in the 30th minute and "Rocky" /Tachrirs pulled off a great point blank save from Duncan

Tachiris pulled off a great point blank save from Duncar Cummings before Rigby scored his second with six minutes left Again he had taken up a good position inside the Hellas-Hakoah

6, Lutton 7, Fakos 6 — Nixon 8, Wright 7, Patholois 6 — Constantinou 6 (Bavidis Büth 6), McCurdy 7, Lic-card 6 (Meison 88th).
FALCONS: Whiteside 7 — Smart 8, Higham 8, University 8 8 — Bingham 7, Daniels 7, O'Callaghan 7 — McClunle 7 (inj. T. van Baer 85th), Mixton 8, Bond 7.

Irvine 7, Meale 8 — Bingham 7, Daniela 7, O'Callaghan 7 - McChinel 7 (inf. 1 - nm Bear 85th), Mitton 8,
A fine debut for Northcote by former
Linfield midfielder David Nixon and two
goals by ex-Eire youth international
Noel Mitten highlighted an entertaining
six goal clash at John Cain Reserve.
Visitor Morwell Falcons hit the front after
10 minutes when Mitten crossed from the left
to former Swindown Town player John Bond.
He chested down, turned and situted the ball
into the bottom far corner.
Former Northern Ireland international
Colin McCurdy made his debut for Northcote
but didn't get good support. The Northerners
seemed content to play on the break.
This ploy paid dividends when Falcons midfielders were caught forward and Sampu

AJAX: Denys 8 — Peter Lewis 7, Gardiner 7, Cannell 7, Hogben 7 — Bannott 7 (Smellman 75th), Vassallo 8, Williams 7 — Mackood 7, Peut Lewis 6, Morroy 6 (Greechen GSth).

ALBION: Leocks 9 — Cutler 7, A. McMillen 8, Craus 6, Meet Mary 7, See 7, Relly 7, Murphy 6 — The County 1, Meet Mary 1, See 7, Relly 7, Murphy 6 — The 7, Meet Mary 1, See 7, Relly 7, Murphy 6 — The 7, Meet Mary 1, See 7, See

Albion showed great competitive qualities while Lacock pulled off a series of spectacular

saves.

The visitors were first to the ball in the first half and took a deserved lead in the 10th minute when Kieron Coyle nipped inside Peter Lewis to head home a far-post cross.

It was a different Ajax which came out for the second half. The green and whites showed a lot of character to hit back after a poor first half display but it looked likely that

DOVETON: Ivenoff 7 — Waite 6, Thurlaw 7, Nulusi 7 (Waterhouse 80th), K. Middiemast 7 — McIvor 7, Andews 7, Train 7 — Spinkar 7, Webstes 8, Quinn 7. FRANKSTON: Petersan 7 — Pye 8, Drinoczki Tutili 6 (sant off 40th), Wright 7 — Ormond 7, C. Whitsaida 7, Mitchell 7, Reader 7 — Buchanan 7, Stewart 7.

Whiteside 7, Mitchell 7, Rooder 7 — Buchmann 7, Stewart 7.

Frankston City fought back with only 10 men from a one goal deficit to snatch an important away point in its flight opush clear of the relegation zone.

Home side Doveton, like Frankston anxious to push clear of the bottom two places in the league table, took a 1-0 lead after 38 minutes. Winger Alan Quin shot from about 20 metres out and keeper Frank Petersen competely misjudged the flight of the ball. The Frankston Custodian made no attempt to save as the ball saided into the back of his net.

Two minutes later the Baysiders backs were well and truly facing the wall when sweeper Graham Tutill was sent off.

Goalkeeper Michael Fryszer resumes training with Hellas-Hakoah this week after a cartilage operation earlier this year. Nixon starts well, Mitten strikes

NORTHCOTE 2 (Wright, McCurdy) MORWELL FALCONS 4 (Mitten 2, McClunie, Bond)

# Suburbs make

A Stewart Gilmour goal gave Western Suburbs its eighth straight win in First Division.

Suburbs' 1-0 victory over Frankston Pines keeps up its hopes of catching either Fawkner or Box Hill, in first and second spots respectively, in the chase for a place in State League next se

METROPOLITAN DIVISION ONE

DIVISION ONE
FAWKMER 2 (Schipano,
Curcija) ALTONA GATE O
FAWKNER: Sezial, Petrov.
Gustija, C. Sebidusal, Malmentl,
Curcija, Terfled, Bozileas.
Mike Micevski of Altona
Gate hit the bar in the first
half, but a good positional
change by coach Cede Cirkovic
paved the way for Fawkner's
victory after the break.
Cirkovic moved Tony Schipano from left back to attack,
and shortly afterwards Schipano headed Fawkner into the
lead from a cross by Chris Petrov.

Wright levelled with a 20 metre shot which hit Sandy Irvine and was deflected past Bill Whiteside who was wrong footed.

Eight minutes into the second stanza Falcons regained the lead. Bond's corner was misjudged by Northcote keeper Spiro Kardamitsis. The ball sailed over him to the far post and Richie McClunie headed in.

Mittan screed wast a defender in the 70th

Mitten scooted past a defender in the 70th minute only to be up ended inside the North-cote area. He took the resultant penalty and although Kardamitsis got a hand to the ball he couldn't stop falcons leaping to a two goal lead.

Northcote hit back with 10 minutes remain-

lead.

Northcote hit back with 10 minutes remaining. McCurdy beat Irvine on the right and from an acute angle hammered home a fine shot to make it 3-2.

The Northerners pressured Falcons in search of the equaliser until Mitten broke through in the 88th minute, rounded stranded Kardamitsis and tucked the ball away into the

1 (Coyle)

Lacock and the resolute Albion defence would hold out for a sensational victory.

Ajax manager-coach Bobby McLachlan made a series of positional changes in the second half and brought on Kit Greechan and David Smallman.

John Gardiner pushed up into attack alongside Gus Macleod but the Ajax barrage looked destined to fail.

Until Lacock made a brilliant reaction save from a Macleod header only to see the hall go to the far post where Paul Lewis levelled with a header in the 81st minute.

Shots rained in on the Albion goal and from one such shot in the 86th minute an Albion player was adjudged to have handled on the line.

line.

Macleod strode to the penalty spot and tucked away what proved to be a vital goal.

With title rival Croatia slipping to a shock defeat at the hands of Wilhelmina, Ajax's win over determined Albion may be the spun needed by the reigning champion to go and clinch its second successive championship.

Tutill had been booked earlier and referee Upjohn flashed the red card at the Frankston player after Doveton's Stan Webster was fou-led.

empty goal

Changes beat Lacock

AJAX 2 (Paul Lewis, Macleod penalty) ALBION

**ROVERS 1 (Coyle)** 

DOVETON 1 (Quin) FRANKSTON CITY 1 (Drinoczky)

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Then Ian Tuffield relayed a cross from Bruno Sabidussi to Rajko Curcija who scored to the control of the contro

Fawkner's best: Schipano, Fattore, Mainenti, B. Sabidus-si, Gooney.

si, Gooney.

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BOX HILL: Box Hill (201 away to a great

start in this match with local rivals Doncaster when in the 2nd minute Lan Roodhouse made a searching run up the left flank before finding Ray Taylor in space in the left touchline. The winger's cross

made a searching run up the left Blank before Iniding Ray Taylor in space in the fit touchline. The winger's cross was met perfectly by Scut Patterson on the fair post, and the visitors were one up.

After this spectacular beginning the game degenerated into a more skill box Hill players were subjected to a series of bone crunching tackles as the experienced Doncaster defenders carry mistake, but not seen the carry mistake of the control 
### KEILOR AUSTRIA O KEW CITY 1 (Dall)

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periods in a very entertaining game.

The visitors got off to a flying start in the 2nd minute when Frank Macleod, playing up front, backheeled on the left to Williams whose first time ball sent Dall clear. He kept his head and slotted past the advancing Austria keeper.

Kew played probably its best game of the league season but was unable to finish off many chances.

Macleod sent Parsons through but the Austria keeper guessed right, diving down to save at the feet of Kew's midfielder.

Austria's best chance fell

Austria's best chance fell to Beattie after a goalmouth scrimmage but he lobbed fractionally over.

Danny McCluskey will be back from suspension this week so Kew is looking for some good results over the next few games.

**DIVISION TWO** ARDEER O BROAD-MEADOWS CITY 1 (Zuanetti)

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ARDEER: Darch, J. Christordies,
Blichasz, Kuczynski Czernecki TzzBlichasz, Kuczynski Czernecki TzzDykun, N. Christordies, Saliba, Di
Dykun, N. Christordies, Saliba, Di
BROADMEADOWS CITY:
BESCO, Addy, De Sa, Scicura,
Neco, Acosta, Sendra, Vizzini, Seco, Addy, De Sa, Scicura,
N. Pozo.
BEST PLAYERS - Ardeer: Kuczynski, Blichasz, J. Christordies.
Broadmasdows City: Sacco, Penzo,
Sandra.

Stewart Gilmour KEW: Lukac 8, Ogden 7, Lynness Webb 8, Stewart 8, Persons 7, IcCarthy 8, Petrov 8, Dall 8, Maci-od 8, Williams 7.

Kew dominated for long periods in a very entertaining

Broadmeadows City justified their position on the
league ladder with a powerful
display of soccer characterised by fierce tackling.
For most of the day the ball
was in Ardeer's defence, with
Kuczynski, Blichasz, John
Knistoudias, (Zernecki and
keeper Darch defending
stoutly.

keeper Darch defending stoutly.
Ardeer's best chance to score came in the 50th minute when John Saliba neatly beat the keeper with his shot which just clipped the crossbar and then rebounded to 'Nifty' Christoudias who failed to put it away.
In the 75th minute, a fierce shot by a 'Broady' striker was deflected by keeper Darch and

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YOUTH LEAGUE SOUTH EAST anday: South Yarra v FRANKSTON PINES; TOON v Springwale Utd.

MORTH WEST
Sunday: GREENSBORDUGH v Melbourne
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an unmarked Zuanetti buried the ball into the net.

Ardeer continued to attack with Obrembalski and Dykun narrowly missing.

DIVISION THREE SUNBURY UTD 0 NU-NAWADING CITY 2 (Gu-sic, Henkel)

SURBURY: Forch, Grey, Duranson, Clarke, Blackley, Evans, Lampbell, Trais, Molloy, Thompon, Stewart, Subs America, McCorquodaw.
NUNAWADNIG – Van Egfmond in, Moyle, West, Gusic, Brown, Iorner, Mullett, Owen, Pahljina, America, McCorquodaw.
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led
Right back David Pye switched to cover for
Tutill and young Eddie Ormond dropped back
from midfield to right back. At half time
coach Harry Chalkitis decided to use only two
in midfield, Cliff Whiteside and Colin Mitchell, with three up front.
It was a gamble which paid off in the 77th
minute when Paul Drinozcky headed in
Robbie Stewart's corner.
The game developed into real end-to-end
stuff.

stuff.

The Doves went close when Pye's back header almost ended up in an own goal but Petersen reacted well and pulled off a fine save. Right on the stroke of full time Ormond ran through onto Bill Buckanan's pass but Lou Ivanoff pulled off a spectacular save to finger tip wide a fine drive from the Frankston



The Central Region under-12 squad which contested the Victorian regional trial early this year consisted of P. Kalogeros, S. McLean, L. Mereori, L. Davies, K. Hoffer, A outrioulos, S. Zaphiropoulos, B. Bothwell, N. Eastwood, C. Kloutropoulos, M. Db itrakopoulos, G. Giannoulos, M. Tapai, C. Lutton, G. Kristoulos, C. Tseukos, S. A. X \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

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# Blacktown back, Yugal fans sleep



**NSW State League** with ALEX VESIC

A shock loss to Auburn, then a crash against Canterbury, then yet another crash against Blacktown — that's the sad tale of Riverwood, some four weeks ago the leaders of the State League in New South Wales.

Now they are in fifth posi-on and only a point above igh flying Sutherland in the exth place.

high flying Sutherland in the sixth place.

Manly has struck against Auburn at Mona Park and is now back in second position on goal average from Blacktown Demons, and only two points adrift from Croatia who struggled against Polonia to take one point.

Canterbury has dropped to fourth, while Melita Eagles, ever-improving is now making a belated challenge for the top fourt. They are five points away from fourth, but still capable of making a go of it.

Bankstown has taken a point off Avala in the dying minutes of the game at Soccer Centre, a point welcomed at Bankstown for it took them off the bottom of the ladded while domaro kept their positions after taking a point each over the weekend.

Next week will be the first ten many free the positions after taking a point each over the weeked.

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Next weekend.

Next week will be the first step towards resolving the top four fight when the Sharks take on the Demons at the Seymour Shaw Park. Johny Watkiss would dearly love to make amends for his teams loss to Blacktown at the Gabbie earlier in the year and get a step closer to the top.

Keith Schumann is in great form at the back for Sutherland and should prove a formidable hurdle for the Demons, while Steve Meades and Stuart Selvage will have to battle for honors in midfield. Blacktown's forward line looks will have to have a supproach to the game will be decided not by mames but the attitudes and hose will him more positive approach to the game should reap their rewards.

Blacktown 4

### Blacktown 4 Riverwood 1

corers: Johnstone 41', 70', ren 80', Plumb 82' (BD), Parker

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RIVERWOOD: Glabourne, Berry, Forestar, Smith, Cootes, Juchalverte, Parker, Tracey, Davis, Stodder, Jones (70 Murray).

It was "tit for tat" at the Gabbie as Blacktown Demons scored three goals in the closing stages of the game to run out winners by a solid goal

margin.

In fact it was a replica of their last encounter, but with a different winner. On that last occasion it was Walker who scored three goals for Riv-erwood during the second half blitz to give Riverwood the

player who scores three or more goals in any league, Cup, interstate, or official school match. Friendly

Coaches are asked to supply the following information.

1. Name of the boy who scored the hat-trick (or more).

2. His age, and the team for which he plays.

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3 The team against which he scored the goals.
4. Date of the game.
5 An address to which to send the certificate (Please use ONE address per club — secretary, coach, team manager or similar official, who will hand the certificates out to the boys).

**Hat-trick heroes** 

victory. This time Walker was absent through injury and could only watch his team mates go down to an en-thusiastic Blacktown side.

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Johnstone put Blacktown is the lead close to half time, but 
only two minutes later Brian 
Parker was on the spot to 
score for Riverwood and make 
it 1-1. It was Riverwood's half 
territorially, but with very few 
openings in front of goal.
Blacktown took charge 
slowly but surely during the 
second period and finally battered Riverwood into submission with some fine goals in 
that devastating 12 minute 
period. The best goal of the 
damage came from the 15-yearold Darren Plumb.

The best goal of the 
period and the 
soccer ability. With eight 
minutes to go this youngster 
picked up the ball some 20 
metres from goal before unelashing a powerful drive 
which left Gisbourne helpless. 
It was Plumb's first goal in 
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Irst grade and one, I am sure, he will cherish for a long time to come. His team mates rushed forward to show their appreciation for his ability, and this small but enthuslastic crowd made their presence felt with a warm appliause.

Next week Blacktown will travel to Seymour Shaw, for yet another derby which is going to determine whether the Demons will challenge for the very top or merely stay in to light for one of the top four places and play-offs.

Sutherland, just four points from Croatla and three adrift from Blacktown have had arrun of successes and are undefeated in their last six match. They must win to stay close to the top.

### Auburn 1 Manly 2

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MABURN: Walker, McInnerray,
Promelle, Peters Turner 427),
Pardwick, Etwell, Dale, Quigley,
Caney, Holloway, Allan.
MANLY: Ellie, K. Falconer, Wilson, Dick, Geophem, Lock, Noble,
P. Falconer, Stuart, Ragan, Jack.
Led by Peter Falconer and
David Jack, Manly's midfield
completely dominated the first
half to race into a 2-0 lead
before the break which in the
end proved sufficient for
Manly's victory.
Lock made it 1-0 after 31
minutes, then with five
minutes to go in this half,
David Jack was at the end of a
very well rehearsed free kick
to make it 2-0.

N.S.W. STATE LEAGUE ROUND 16 BLACKTOWN —RIVERWOOD

YUGAL -JM UNITED 1-1, Rodas (Y).

BANKSTOWN -AVALA 1-1,
Hatton (B), Djurisic (A)
MELITA-ROCKDALE 2-0.
CANTERBURY -SUTHERLAND
0-2.

(MW)					
CROATIA	18	4	2	27-6	23
MANLY WARRINGAH	9	4	3	31-17	22
BLACKTOWN	9	4	3	29-22	22
CANTERBURY	8	5	3	25-18	21
RIVERWOOD	9	2	5	30-27	20
SUTHERLAND		3	4	26-16	19
MEUTA	5	6	5	25-21	16
YUGAL	. 5	4	6	21-28	14
POLONIA	. 3	7	6	11-13	13
AVALA	3	6	7	26-28	12
AUBURN	. 4	4	8	14-23	12
JM UNITED	3	5	8	19-31	11
BANKSTOWN	2	4	10	21-37	8
ROCKDALE	2	4	10	17-39	8

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Chopin Park: POLONIA —CANTERBURY
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SANGAY, JULY
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RIVOOD-BANKSTOWN
Knight Park: AVALA —ROCKDALE
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9. T. Smith (MW), Amold (CM),
Bush (S).
8. P. Jones (BD), T. Jones, Parkeer, Walker (R).
7. Allan (ME).
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9. S. Karanfillovski (Av), Nocers (B).
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Regen, Noble (MW), Sultane (R),
Johnstone (BD), Easterfield, Titlias
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Link (JMU), Stust, Lock (MW), R.
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Williams (EM), Smith, Soberyk (P),
Meades (S), Benecke (Y).

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* in the second half but could only manage to cut Manly's lead down to one goal after 65 minutes following a through ball by Carney and a shot by Etwell.

Etwell.

A minute after that goal Auburn almost snatched yet another goal but Bobby Allan's diving header just missed and so did the chance of snatching

a point.

So after a fine run which lifted Auburn to almost a safe position on the table came a

loss.
Auburn will have more prob-lems next week as they meet yet another team from the top part of the table and eager to do well, Melita Eagles.

## Bankstown 1

Avala 1 FAVELER I SCORES: Nation [8], Djuristic [A].

BANKSTOWN: Lohmann, Drain,
W. Brown, Roctest, Jonas W.

Black, Barton, Dation
Black, Burley Hernes, Control
Black, Burley Hernes, Lombryk, Dellor, Barton, Vujinovic (Peterson
46, Djurisic, Milling, Williams, Tilt,
Ruiz, Karanfilosshi.

Ruix, Kannflowshi.

Avala started this game in the fashion they left off against Blacktown last week, They came at the Bankstown from all angles and created enough chances to easily secure the points well before the break.

Their goal after only four minutes come from the security of t

secure the points well before the break.

Their goal after only four minutes came from a thunderboit by Djurisic which left Lohman with little chance.

However, that goal was all Avala could master despite some half dozen openings.

The home side fought courageously throughout and never gave up hope of a point. Their hopes came to fruition after a scramble in Avala's penalty area some seven minutes from time when Hutton scored to make it 1-1.

This proved a precious point for Bankstown who are now above Rockdale at the bottom of the ladder on goal difference.

### Yugal 1 JM United 1

JM United 1
Scores: Rokal Vij, Valent (JMU).
YUGAL: Wotton, Cummings, Michtosh, Augustino, Clerke, Stennings, Michas, Rokoden, Faneski.
Hijle Taker. Stennings, Michtosh, Augustino, Clerke, Stennings, Michtosh, Carlon of the side and introduce Stenning with some 20 minutes to go. It seemed to give a new lease of life to the home side and they rallied to score their only goal through Patrick Rodas close to the end.
A note of interest: Yugal supporters, seated in their cars behind the stands at Concord Oval, attempted to inject

cars behind the stands at Concord Oval, attempted to inject life into their team by using car borns. Karel Rodny, the NSW Soccer Federation president, threatened to stop the game should they continue using their horns (1!), and rather than cause a scene Yugal officials informed the crowd to behave as if they were in a library, which they promptly adhered to and went to sleep.

### ΤΑ ΝΕΑ ΤΩΝ ΟΜΑΔΩΝ ΜΑΣ ΑΠΟ ΤΟ ΣΗΜΕΙΟ ΤΟΥ ΠΕΝΑΛΤΥ

ΠΑΝΣΕΡΡΑΙΚΟΣ

Μπάρμπενιου διοργάνωσε ο πρόεδρος τού Πανσερραϊκού κ. Στήβ Ρίδης γιά τούς παίκτες τής όμάδας πού σημείωσε έπιτυχία. MOPNTIALAOK

Χορό διοργανώνει τό Μορντιάλλοκ στίς 28 Αύγούστου 1982 στό Τσέλσυ καί οί φίλοι τού συλλόγου παρακαλούνται νά δώσουν τό παρόν.

Γιά περισσότερες πληροφορίες τηλεφωνήσα τε στούς παράγοντας τού συλλόγου.

### ΘΈΡΜΟΣ ΦΙΛΟΣ ΤΟΥ ΩΚΛΗ

΄Ο θήο Πλατσιάρης που διατηρεί ένα μοντέρνο κατάστημα μέ κοτόπουλα Μπάρμπεκιου στό BOURKE RD. SHOP I3 στό CTH CLA ΥΤΟΝ, παραμένει ένας θερμός φίλαθλος τού 'Ωκλη καί κάθε Σάββατο δωρίζει ένα κοτό πουλο στόν καλύτερο παίκτη τής κυανολεύ nov.

### KAAPINTA

Στήν πρόσφατη Γεν. Συνέλευση πού έγινε στήν Κλαρίντα, έξελέγησαν οί έξής σύμβου λοι: Μ.Μπαρμπαγιάννης, Β.Πατέρας, Γ.Μπορο ζίκας, Κ. Κούτσικος, Σ. Αποστολόπουλος, Λ. Πα νίδης, Γ. Παναγόπουλος, Β. Νικόλας, Δ. Μέγας, Σ. Στρατουδάκης, Σ. Συμεωνίδης, Κ. Πλιατσιάρης, G. GALOVIC, Ν. Οικονόμου, Δ. Ντιβάνης, Φ.

Τό πόστο τού ύπευθύνου έπί τού Τύπου άνέλαβε ό κ.Δ.Πανίδης.

### Ν. ΈΛΛΑΣ

Γιά τήν Έλλάδα πρόκειται νά άναχωρήσει γιά διακοπές δ γενικός άρχηγός τής όμάδας Μανώλης Βάθης.

Ή στήλη τού εύχεται καλή διασκέδαση καί καλή έπάνοδο στήν άγαπημένη του όμά

### TAREE TO HOPE MEAMHOYPN

ι αρά τού ότι ή Ν.ΕΛΛΑΣ δέχθηκε πρώτη τέρμα 4 ό τό γηπεδούχο άλλά τελευταίο στήν βαθμολογία Έλθαμ, τελικά νίκησε 3-Ι καί μέ γκόλ πού πέτυχαν οί Λαζαρίδης 2 καί Σταυρίδης.

Άπό τήν όμάδα ξεχώρισαν οί σκόρερς καί ό Γκέσιος.

### NEA WIKH TOY OKAH

Τό πρωτοπόρο ΄Ωκλη πέτυχε νέα νίκη γιά τό πρωτάθλημα τής Δ΄ κατηγορίας τού Μετροπόλιταν καί βρίσκεται σταθερά μέ 5 βαθ μούς μπροστά, κάτι πού δείχνει πλέον καθαρά ότι θά κερδίσει καί τόν τίτλο. Τά γκόλ γιά την έλληνική όμάδα πέτυχαν

οί Γιώργος Καμπυλάκης μέ πέναλτυ,Παπατσιάς ό όποίος βρίσκεται σέ θαυμάσια φόρ μα καί ό Λήο Στεργίου.

Στήν 2η θέση πέρασε τό Νόρθ Τζηλόγκ ένώ τό Κώλφηλυτ μετά την ίσοπαλία που έφερε: έπτός έδρας μέ τό Σάντρινχαμ Ι-Ι Βρέθηκε στήν 3η θέση.

### ΕΝΩΣΗ ΠΟΝΤΙΩΝ Β΄

'Αν καί έπαιξε καλά ή 'Εν.Ποντίων Β'έκτός έδρας μέ τό Φουτσκραίυ, τελικά έχασε μέ 3-2.

Τά γκόλ γιά την έλληνική όμάδα πέτυχαν Ήρακλής Χαϊτίδης κάι Γιώργος Λιγι-

Έπαιξαν οί Χατζησταύρου, Κουϊρουκίδης, Μπαχαράκης, Χίος, Βαλαώρας, Λιγιδάκης, Κατζίδης, Χαϊτίδης, Καραγιώργου, Τασιόπουλος καί Σαββίδης.

### Ο ΦΛΩΡΟΣ ΔΗΜΗΤΡΙΑΔΗΣ ΔΕΝ ΕΊΝΑΙ ΠΛΕΌΝ KONTA MAE

Ογνωστός σέ όλη την παροικία μας Φλώρος Δημητριάδης δέν ύπάρχει πλέον. Πρίν μιά βδομάδα πέθανε καί σέ ήλικία 70 έτών άπό καρδιακή πάθηση.

΄ ο άγαπητός σέ όλους Φλώρος ματανάστευσε στήν Αύστραλία τό 1928 καί στά 54 χρόνια πού έζησε έδώ άνέπτυξε μιά πλούσια δράση σέ όλους τούς τομείς. Κοντά σέ όλα ύπήρξε καί ένας άπό τούς ίδρυτές τού ποδοσφαιρικού σωματείου ΕΛ-ΑΑΣ Μελβούρνης καί διετέλεσε πρόεδρος καθώς καί γενικός γραμματέας γιά ένα χρονικό διάστημα.

Ή στήλη έκφράζει τά είλικρινά της συλλυπητήρια στήν οίκογένεια τού έκλειπόντος καί λυπάται γιατί στόν άγώνα τής πε ρασμένης Κυριακής μεταξύ τών όμάδων τού Αλέξανδρου και τού Μαρκόνι πού έγινε στό γήπεδο τού πρώτου, οί άρμόδιοι τού

έλληνικού σωματείου δέν σκέφθηκαν νά τί μήσουν τόν Φλώρο Δημητριάδη με ένός λε-

θέλουμε νά πιστεύουμε ότι έγινε κάποιο λάθος γιατί ένας έργάτης τής παροικίας μας καί μάλιστα πού πάλαιψε γιά τό ποδόσφαιρο, άσχετα άν ήταν μάποτε στήν ΕΛ-ΛΑΣ,θά άξιζε αύτή την τιμή τής σιγής.

### MAABEPN O

Ή πρωτοπόρος Δόξα Γιάρραβιλ πέρασε καί τό έμπόδιο τού Μάλβερν μέσα στό γήπεδό της καί συνεγίζει νά βρίσκεται καθαρά μέ 5 βαθμούς μπροστά στόν πίνακα τής Β΄ κατηγορίας τού Προβίζιοναλ.

Ή γηπεδούχος ήταν πιό έπικίνδυνη σέ δλο τό διάστημα τής συνάντησης καί πήρε δίκαια τήν νίκη.

Τό ότι καί οί 24 ποδοσφαιριστές πού έπαιξαν πάλαιφαν γιά τήν νίκη καθαρά καί μέσα σέ άθλητικά πλαίσια, είναι κάτι πού τούς τιμά ξέχωρα καθώς καί τά Δ. Συμβούλια τών όμάδων καί τούς προπονητές.

Ή Δόξα κατόρθωσε νά άνοίξει τό σκόρ στό 20' όταν ό Τερζάκης άπέφυγε δύο άντιπάλους του,μεταβίβασε στόν Φακρίδα γιά νά καταλήξει ή μπάλλα στόν Πετρίδη πού εύπολα την έστειλε στά δίπτυα τού Μακέν πού είχε κάνει έξοδο.

Στήν συνέχεια τό Μάλβερν πέοασε γιά ένα διάστημα στήν έπίθεση άλλά ήταν άπίνδυ-

Στό Β΄ μέρος ή Δόξα βγήκε από τα αποδυτή ρια μέ ένα άκόμη τέρμα.

Ήταν τό 46 όταν ό Φακρίδας άπό άριστερά μεταβίβασε στόν Πετρίδη καί ό τελευταίος έβγαλε τόν Μελέτη σέ καλή θέση ό όποίος δέν δυσκολεύτηκε νά φτιάξει τό 2-0 πού ήταν καί τό τελικό άποτέλεσμα.

Δυό - τρείς καλές εύκαιρίες χάθηκαν άπό τήν Δόξα ένώ τό Μάλβερν είχε ένα δυνατό σούτ πού άπέκρουσε θαυμάσια ό Νίκος 'Αποστολίδης.

Μέ την Δόξα έπαιξαν οί:Ν.Αποστολίδης,Τ. Αμανατίδης, Δημητρίου, Τζαμπάζης, Ντ. Αποστολίδης, Καλιπολίτης, Τερζάκης, Τ. Παπαχριστοδούλου, Ν. Μελέτης, Πετρίδης καί Φακρί-

Στό 78' ο Χύτας πήρε την θέση του Τζαμπά

Κανένας τής Δόξας παίκτης δέν ύστέρησε άλλά ξέχωρη άπόδοση είχαν οί Νίκος Μελέ της, Τ. Αμανατίδης, Δημητρίου καί Νίκος 'Α ποστολίδης. Έπίσης δ Τίμ Παπαχριστοδούλου παρά τού ότι άγωνίστηκε μέ πυρετό πάλαιψε καί στά 90'τής συνάντησης. Τέλος ό Στήβ Φακ, ίδας ήταν δμαδικός καί πέρασε στούς διακριθέντας.

Από τήν ένδεκάδα θά άπουσιάσει ό Λές Νικολαΐδης γιά 4 περίπου βδομάδες μετά τόν τραυματισμό του στό γόνατο στόν άγώ να μέ τό Μόε.

Τό Δ. Συμβούλιο, ό προπονητής του καί οί συμπαίκτες του τού εύχονται ταχεία άναρ

Τό Μάλβερν έπαιξε μέ τούς Μακέν, Μαυρίδη, Τσώμο, Παπαδόπουλο, Σαματζή, Βάρσο, Πετρόπουλο, Σκαμάγκα, Βλάχο, Λιόλιο, Λιχούδη (75\* Σταθόπουλος) καί 'Αρζάνα.

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